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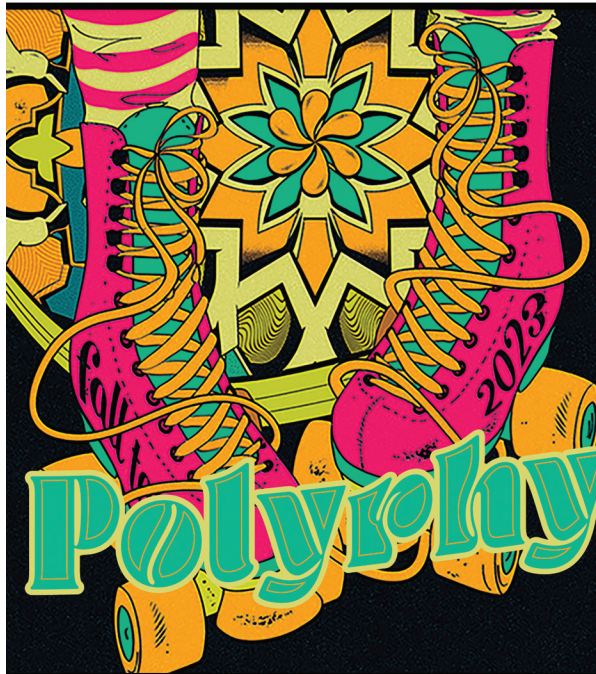
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NCJ MAILBOX

'I Sure Like Collin Yeo'

Editor:

I am so grateful for such a splendid publication as the *North Coast Journal*. The writers are amazing, the in-depth investigations and continuous coverage of topics so important to our area are priceless and it is all ours! It is truly local. Almost nothing is anymore. The almost daily rag, *Times-Standard* is owned by a hedge fund, printed in Chico (hence the earlier print deadlines) and severely gutted.

But my particular reason for writing to y'all now is to say, Boy, oh boy, I sure like Collin Yeo (Setlist)! The intros he writes for NCJ Setlist are so good!

So thank you to all of you at NCJ.

Kathryn Travers, Eureka

'I Just Signed It'

Editor:

In 2022, I was approached at the Arcata Co-Op, 6-year-old son in tow, and asked to sign a petition to "help small farmers" and "keep corporate cannabis out of Humboldt" ("Growers Seek to Remove Cannabis Initiative from Ballot," Oct. 19). Distracted, I agreed, thinking it was about supporting local small farmers, and that the petition was going to help them. In all honesty I was so naive that I didn't realize, nor do I remember being told, that I was signing a petition to have something put on the ballot. Distracted by my busy child and without time to read the document I just signed it.

Ghost

I watch a movie on Showtime - "Ghost"

The characters unreel quietly and slowly.

I've lost two husbands to the big "C"s - Cancer and Car Crash.

I live alone now.

I shop for groceries, quietly cook dinner.

Take a shower, towel off, look into the mirror.

I can't find my face under the white sheet of steam.

And then I realize, I am the ghost.

— Sharon Rickard

As a small farmer whose business had already faltered, I was persuaded by the message he told me. Many of my fellow small-scale farmers had faced struggles, and I wanted to support the remaining small farmers by signing the petition. I wasn't aware of what it was really going to change. They didn't tell me how it would impact existing farmers; I thought it was about keeping new big corporate farms out. In hindsight, I felt coerced to sign, my good intentions manipulated by selective information. I felt pressured and like I was told what I wanted to hear. I doubt that they would have disclosed the whole truth even if I had more time to chat. I don't think I will ever sign anything again unless I have time to read *all* of the fine print.

Joel Rosser, Arcata

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Supes Talk Fire Insurance, Cannabis Tax Collection and Auctioning Off a Pistol

By Thadeus Greenson
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The Humboldt County Board of Supervisors moved forward Oct. 24 with a plan to collect a combined \$16.3 million in past-due cannabis excise tax bills and permit fees.

County Planning Director John Ford explained the county is owed about \$14.2 million in overdue taxes and another \$2.1 million in permit fees. He recommended a different collections plan for each.

On the fees side of things, Ford said nearly \$830,000 of the outstanding fees are related to 568 approved cannabis permits, while \$140,000 is connected to 62 interim permits. Of the \$2.1 million that's owed, Ford said \$1.6 million is more than 90 days past due. Moving forward, he proposed that staff will not work on pending applications unless there is a deposit in hand. Then, he said applications that are delinquent by more than 90 days will be informed they have 90 days to pay their bills in full or face permit denial by the zoning administration. Further, he said, interim permits will not be extended beyond Dec. 31 unless the applicant is current on permitting fees, while all current permit holders will be given 90 days to pay their fees in full or face suspension, after which they would be given another 90 days to pay or face permit revocation.

The tax side of things is more complicated, with Ford saying that a total of 962 permit holders owe \$14.2 million, but he added that the list has not been "thoroughly examined" and it is believed many of these bills were associated with cultivation sites that are now inactive. As an example, he pointed to a \$481,000 tax bill that he said was associated with an interim permit holder who illegally expanded

their operation, was fined by the county, continued to cultivate, was raided by law enforcement and, ultimately, left, with the property reverting to a lien holder.

"This is a tax that is owed but is unlikely to be paid," Ford said in the staff report, which tallies just \$5.2 million in unpaid taxes connected to currently approved permits or interim permits, meaning the other \$9 million owed is likely associated with cultivators with pending permits or who simply abandoned the process.

For permit applicants that have been inactive for some time, Ford said he was recommending they be given a 30-day notice that unless they enter a payment plan to have all taxes paid by Dec. 31, 2024, their application would be recommended for denial. Applicants with approved permits or those actively in process, Ford said, would be given until Dec. 31 to commit to a payment plan to have all taxes paid by Dec. 31, 2024.

During public comment, Humboldt County Growers Alliance Executive Director Natalynne DeLapp thanked staff for its work on the issue and said she generally supported the plan, but requested the dates be pushed back to March 31, 2024, and March 31, 2025. She said the 90-day extensions would be helpful because cultivators are still "deep" in harvest season and a lot of county offices close for stretches between now and Dec. 31.

When the matter came back before the board — operating without Second District Supervisor Michelle Bushnell, who "abstained" from the discussion, leaving the room after saying she didn't believe she had a conflict of interest but wanted to operate under an abundance of caution but did not elaborate — there seemed to

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be a consensus in support of staff's plan.

But Fifth District Supervisors Steve Madrone said he'd done some research on overdue tax payments and learned that only 1 percent of farmers with overdue bills had approached the county about making payment plans.

"Frankly, at this point in time, I don't think we're going to collect a whole lot of this money," he said, later adding that he was concerned giving farmers until Dec. 31, 2024 — or March 31, 2025 — would allow some to cultivate for another season before skipping out on their bill. "Enough is enough."

Ultimately the board voted 3-1, with Madrone dissenting, to follow Ford's recommendation with DeLapp's suggestion of changing the compliance dates to March 31, 2024, for farmers to enter into payment plans and March 31, 2025 for them to pay off their balances.

A Gun in the Basket

After a lengthy and contentious discussion of whether to reappoint First District Supervisor Rex Bohn as its delegate to Rural County Representatives of California (RCRC, a lobbying association of more 40 California counties that advocates for rural policies), the board voted unanimously to stay the course.

Two issues gave a majority of the board pause about keeping Bohn in the role he's held for more than a decade: the inclusion of a handgun in an auction basket representing Humboldt County at a recent RCRC event and the organization's involvement in the affiliated Golden State Finance Authority's plans to build wood pellet manufacturing facilities that would export the biomass fuel product overseas.

On the handgun front, Third District Supervisor Mike Wilson said he wasn't sure

he was comfortable voting on the matter and felt he needed additional information after seeing a message on social media from a gun-control advocate expressing concern over the auction basket, specifically the inclusion of a 9 mm Smith & Wesson handgun.

"That was promoting firearms and the distribution of firearms in an auction item," Wilson said, later adding that Bohn should have known inclusion of the item would be controversial and upsetting to some county residents, especially given the ongoing epidemics of gun violence and mass shootings. "It's not a party favor and it's not a door prize. It's a firearm."

Bohn was defensive — initially saying he felt "like a merchant of death," noting that he regularly auctions off firearms for a host of charities, as well as cases of wine and bottles of liquor — and said the item was "perfectly legal."

Bohn explained that he puts together an auction basket as a part of an annual fundraiser that sees participating RCRC counties submit donated baskets that are then auctioned off, with proceeds — \$63,000 — going to charities selected by RCRC's current chair.

"We've had the No. 1 basket for a few years in a row," Bohn said, noting this year's included items like \$500 worth of Humboldt grass-fed beef, two redwood benches, a custom firepit and a host of stuff made in Humboldt County. "I tried to promote local."

As to the gun, Bohn said he won another gun — a shotgun — at raffle, "didn't want it, traded it in for the pistol and added it to the basket." He noted he checked with "RCRC legal" about it, which expressed some concerns, so he agreed to hold onto the pistol until after the auction, after which he would take

it to a federally licensed dealer to have it transferred to the new owner, who would have to pass a background check and go through the mandatory 10-day waiting period. (He said he intended to take it to the dealer Oct. 30.)

"This isn't the first time I've had a gun in my basket, so the timing of this is," Bohn said before a lengthy pause, "wonderful." He would go on to imply several times that this was only a matter of discussion at the meeting because he's up for re-election next year. "Hopefully you can find someone to run against me and use this against me," he said later.

On the biomass front, Wilson, Madrone and Fourth District Supervisor Natalie Arroyo indicated they have questions or concerns, though none were expressed in detail. Ultimately, a majority of the board agreed that Bohn generally has been a strong advocate for rural issues with RCRC and the board voted unanimously to re-appoint him as the county's delegate, though Bushnell, reappointed as the county's alternate, stepped in and volunteered to handle the auction baskets moving forward.

The consensus of the board was also that it would like to have a policy discussion surrounding biomass generally, and the Golden State Finance Authority specifically. Bohn indicated he would ask the authority's subsidiary handling the proposed biomass project to come present to the board after the full project environmental impact report is done.

Fire Insurance

Before talking cannabis tax collection or the appropriateness of guns in auction baskets, the board heard a lengthy presentation from Julia Juarez, the deputy commissioner of community relations and

outreach for the California Department of Insurance about fire insurance at the request of Bushnell, who noted many of her constituents were having problems finding affordable fire insurance policies.

Juarez said the state is currently taking action to increase accessibility to insurance throughout the state, but first she explained the driving forces behind the problem.

Insurance companies are global corporations, she said, and are deeply affected by not just "catastrophes" in California but throughout the world, which have become more frequent as the climate crisis deepens. Inflation, meanwhile, is causing "unprecedented financial stress," Juarez said, noting that companies increase costs of materials and labor when rebuilding communities.

As a result, she noted that seven of the 12 largest insurance companies operating in California have paused or restricted new policies, despite having increased rates, noting that while nationwide these companies have seen profits of 3.6 percent, policies in California have seen a loss of 13.1 percent.

To address the problem, Juarez said the Department of Insurance is looking at a number of reforms that reward fire safe communities and property owners, change companies' approaches to catastrophic modeling and increase coverage limits.

She encouraged anyone having trouble finding a homeowner's or fire insurance policy to reach out to her office at insurance.ca.gov or (800) 927-4357.



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Humboldt County Planning Department, March 2023

False Narratives Fuel California's Failure to Address Poverty

By Devon Gray

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New Census data recently confirmed what many advocates saw coming: We squandered one of the greatest achievements in antipoverty policy this nation has ever known.

In one year, we went from a record low poverty rate of 7.8 percent — and child poverty being cut nearly in half to 5.2 percent — to the largest ever single-year rise and the child poverty rate increasing by a stunning 138 percent. In California the poverty rate for children under age 18 rose from 7.5 percent to nearly 17 percent.

This increase in hardship directly resulted from not renewing the expanded Child Tax Credit, or CTC, as inflation struck, making clear that poverty is indeed a policy choice. But this realization is not a new one.

What's needed next is highlighting and changing the false narratives about poor people that continually enable harmful policy decisions. As the leader of an antipoverty organization that spends much of its time traveling the state to *listen* to people in poverty, I have seen which narratives persist and how they influence policy outcomes.

Chief among these narratives is the belief that people are poor because they are fundamentally flawed and less responsible than other people, an often racially-coded sentiment. Democratic Sen. Joe Manchin of West Virginia could have been the deciding vote to maintain the CTC, but instead opposed it, citing concerns of parents spending the money on drugs. It didn't matter that studies found parents spent the money on necessities, or that welfare recipients have shown a low incidence of drug use.

The false narrative is far more powerful than facts.

Those who oppose antipoverty programs also gain traction by suggesting they foster dependency, or reduce the incentive to work. Indeed Michael Strain, an economist at the American Enterprise Institute, told the *New York Times*, "Yes, (the CTC) alleviated child poverty, but it didn't really do a whole lot to encourage self-sufficiency."

People receiving aid don't need to be encouraged to be self-sufficient. More than 95 percent of families benefiting from the CTC were either in the workforce, ill or disabled, elderly or had a child under the age of 2. Moreover, the program had no

negative impact on work participation, as has been demonstrated time and again with unconditional cash transfers. Further benefits of assistance to children in poverty include long-term health and educational outcomes and boosted earnings as adults, all of which support self-sufficiency.

Finally, there is a belief that poverty is an inevitable phenomenon and therefore spending is wasteful. Yet we just saw our ability to significantly cut poverty during the pandemic. And we know that the costs of child poverty alone are \$800 billion to \$1.1 trillion annually, making the \$100 billion expanded CTC that cut child poverty in half both morally righteous and a shrewd investment.

This is a pivotal moment to change direction and upend these false narratives. Policymakers should spend time in poor communities to learn from people who are the experts on their own lives. People of goodwill should push back on those who shame people in poverty and instead shame those whose decisions actually *drive* poverty, like Sen. Manchin and every single Republican responsible for doubling the child poverty rate.

We should also return to the urgency we felt during the pandemic to help people in poverty by pushing to restore the expanded CTC, rather than needlessly thrusting 3 million children into poverty.

Most importantly, Californians need to unite in telling a new, fact-based story about people in poverty. It start with this: The vast majority of people living in poverty are like the vast majority of people in every economic class, doing their best each day to care for themselves and their children. Yet they are constantly demeaned and harmed by policy decisions stemming from insidious, false narratives that have been absorbed for generations.

Replacing these narratives won't come easily, but it's the only way to achieve meaningful and sustained policy change. ●

Devon Gray is the president of End Poverty in California. He previously served as a special advisor to Gov. Gavin Newsom's administration.

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Tamara has been shopping at Murphy's in Sunnybrae her whole life. Her family has lived here in the same neighborhood since 1952 and her father worked for Murphy's Market when she was young. Seeing all of the people that still work there to this day, like Carlos, Randy and Todd is very special to her and she feels like part of the family.

Dinsmore Remains in Limbo Amid Jurisdictional Questions

Family and friends who'd walked into court the afternoon of Oct. 19 hoping to see Steve Dinsmore released from jail left disappointed, but not without hope that day may soon come.

Dinsmore, who was ordered released from custody in 2022 after serving more than 17 years in prison only to be returned to the jail in August after an appellate court overturned Humboldt County Superior Court Judge John Feeney's decision to release him, remains in a state of legal limbo ("In the Interest of Justice," Oct. 12, 2023).

Initially sentenced by Feeney to serve more than 30 years in state prison after he was convicted of assaulting a sheriff's deputy with a firearm, Dinsmore petitioned the court for relief in 2021. He argued that a new law made the types 10-year firearm sentencing enhancements that were a part of his original sentence are now discretionary and, pointing to what's been described as "exceptional conduct" in prison, argued that he'd been rehabilitated and was worthy of release. While the Humboldt County District Attorney's Office objected, arguing the new law was not retroactive and Feeney had no legal authority to revisit Dinsmore's sentence, Feeney said he felt Dinsmore had been rehabilitated and ordered him released. The DA's office appealed the ruling before Dinsmore left prison.

By all accounts, Dinsmore's reintegration into law outside prison was smooth, as he continued attending AA meetings, got a job with Caltrans, reconnected

with his two daughters, got engaged and was successfully discharged from parole, having never missed a meeting or failed a drug test. But his restart on life came to a screeching halt in August, when the appellate ruling and the DA's office's opposition to any alternatives left Feeney with no legal choice but to reinstate the remainder of Dinsmore's original sentence, leaving him facing 10 more years in prison.

But the Legislature passed a new law this year, written with the help of Dinsmore's appellate attorney, that makes the previous law giving judges discretion over firearm sentencing enhancements retroactive, and Gov. Gavin Newsom signed it into law Oct. 8. The law doesn't go into effect until Jan. 1, however.

During the Oct. 19 hearing, Feeney made official his intent to consider re-sentencing Dinsmore pursuant to the new law in the new year, setting a Jan. 8 court date for a hearing on that subject. But whether Dinsmore can legally be released before then is proving to be a complicated question.

Dinsmore's attorney, Ben McLaughlin, had previously asked Feeney to consider ordering Dinsmore released pending resentencing to either the supervision of the county probation department or state parole, which could outfit him with an electronic monitoring device. But Deputy District Attorney Luke Bernthal correctly pointed out there's no legal mechanism for a superior court judge to release a state prison inmate to parole, seemingly leaving probation as the only option. McLaughlin reported to the court he'd

Witches on the Water



Photo by Mark Larson

On Oct. 21, Christine Fiorentino and fellow Witches Paddle participants left the Samoa Bridge boat ramp and headed west on Humboldt Bay into a stiff wind. See the full slideshow of spooky waterborne hijinks at northcoastjournal.com. POSTED 10.24.23.

reached out to the Humboldt County Probation Department and it needed additional information, asking to review his full file from the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and obtain an official copy of his parole discharge letter.

The probation department is unsure, McLaughlin noted, whether it has the jurisdiction to monitor Dinsmore, noting he is not a typical jail inmate awaiting sentencing or serving a local sentence. But he

also doesn't have an active CDCR number, as his previous one was closed out when he was discharged from probation.

Feeney set an Oct. 30 court date to continue the discussion, at which time the court hopes to have more information about its options, with both McLaughlin and Bernthal having briefed their positions.

— Thadeus Greenson
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We Hardly Knew Ye: In sad salsa-related news, Paco's Taco's, the Eureka Mexican restaurant that briefly dazzled with its array of salsas, has closed. When contacted by the *Journal*, the owners reported that the partnership "didn't work out," but they are hopeful that they'll be able to open elsewhere down the road. Paco's was just the most recent restaurant to occupy the revolving door spot on Eureka's Fifth Street that once housed Los Sinaloenses and its white menudo. POSTED 10.23.23

McKinley Rising: The statue of President William McKinley that spent 100 years anchoring the Arcata Plaza is back on a pedestal again after an Oct. 21 unveiling ceremony in Canton, Ohio, that saw officials from the state's governor to former political advisor and McKinley historian Karl Rove laud the restored bronze's new location. According to a news report, those assembled also took a few digs at Arcata's jilting of the tribute to the 25th president slain by an assassin's bullet. POSTED 10.24.23



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Humboldt residents share their stories in statewide listening tour on poverty

By Kimberly Wear
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On a recent Friday night, about two dozen people sat around small tables in a room at Eureka's Jefferson Center, talking about the realities of living on the financial brink.

Each had their own story to tell, but common threads in the obstacles they face trying to not just make ends meet, but forge a path forward were woven throughout the discussion — from a lack of affordable housing and access to medical care to difficulties navigating assistance programs and seemingly impossible choices between whether to buy food or medicine.

"It's just so frustrating, because you can't get ahead," one said.

While most of those attending were strangers to each other, they were brought together as part of a "listening session" organized by Ending Poverty in California (EPIC), a nonprofit that has been crisscrossing the state for the last year to hear from people with first-hand experience traversing the landscape of living in poverty.

EPIC's concept behind the forums is simple: "The people closest to the problem are closest to the solution."

At the center of a semi-circle formed by tables during the recent Humboldt County stop sat EPIC President Devon Gray in tan slacks with the sleeves of his white dress shirt rolled up. In a calming tone he explained that the stories being shared in the room would help inform the policy changes EPIC will lobby for at the state Capitol.

As each person spoke, Gray turned to face them, often jotting notes in a charcoal-colored notebook.

One woman described how she was "ecstatic" to land a job making \$17 an hour but her hopes for a "second chance in life" came crashing down when she lost state medical benefits as a result of working extra shifts. That meant she was cut off from therapy sessions that had helped her stay sober for more than a year and put a medication she needs out of financial reach, she said, all for making "a few hundred extra dollars."

In addition, the woman said, she not only lost access to CalFresh SNAP benefits, a state nutrition program formerly known as food stamps, that helped stretch her income, but was told she owed money back.

"Just because I was given the opportunity

to better my life, they are taking that away from me," she said.

Over and over, similar stories unfolded throughout the evening.

A young pregnant woman who recently moved to the area spoke about trying for weeks to access temporary benefits as she searched for a job.

"I felt like I had to beg for Medi-Cal just to see my prenatal doctors," she said.

Another participant said he faced a similar wait while trying to reapply for benefits after being repeatedly told he needed to provide more information.

"It was just months of not having food. I had to go to food banks," he said. "It was hard."

One person said what really bothered them was how assistance programs only looked at a person's gross income.

"I'm not bringing home my gross income," they said, adding there is "no ability to jump classes" with the way the system operates.

"Being able to get out of intergenerational poverty is unheard of in Humboldt County," they said.

"The government does a really good job of creating barriers," Gray noted.

One young woman broke down as she described how it was "really scary" to watch her grandparents have to choose between paying bills and buying medicine after working hard their entire lives.

"My grandmother almost had to go to the hospital because her diabetes was out of control because she couldn't afford insulin," the woman said, adding her grandparents are considering whether to sell their house.

"I'm so sorry," Gray told her.

While an estimated 12 percent of Californians live in poverty, according to U.S. Census data, Humboldt County's numbers are bleaker, with an estimated 20 percent of households living below the federal poverty line — \$30,000 in annual income for a household of four — while the county's median household income comes in at \$53,000 compared to \$84,000 statewide.

In 2022, an average of 17,500 Humboldt County households, encompassing 27,000 individuals, received CalFresh benefits, or one in five residents, according to the California Department of Social Services. To qualify, a family of four has to make less than \$39,000 before taxes while a

single individual's income threshold is just under \$19,000.

According to the nonprofit California Healthcare Foundation, 64,901 people in Humboldt County were enrolled in Medi-Cal in July of 2023, or 47.4 percent of the population. Statewide, 39.8 percent of Californians are enrolled.

In a later interview with the *Journal*, Gray said one of the reasons the listening sessions are so important is that poverty manifests itself in different ways depending on where people live.

On a broad scale, he said, EPIC — formed last year by Michael Tubbs, a former Stockton mayor who made national headlines by starting a guaranteed income pilot program during his tenure — works to advocate for policies that enhance economic mobility in the state, addressing everything from housing issues and workers' rights to entrepreneurial support and reforms of the criminal justice system and safety net programs.

While the nonprofit's focus is primarily directed at the Legislature, the group engages with local government as well, Gray said.

Then there's what he described as EPIC's "storytelling work" though the listening sessions, "with the idea that the narratives around poverty are often the biggest impediments to actual policy change." The most problematic false narrative, Gray said, is the idea that poverty is somehow an individual failing, "that people are poor because they choose to be or because they are lazy or otherwise somehow morally flawed or irresponsible."

From EPIC's perspective, he said, the more accurate narrative about poverty is "one that focuses on policy choices and systems that set people up for failure."

Before each visit, Gray said, EPIC reaches out to community organizations that work with local residents experiencing poverty, which in turn assist the nonprofit in connecting with community members to participate in the listening sessions.

On the Humboldt tour, those included Food for People, the McKinleyville Family Resource Center and Project Rebound at Cal Poly Humboldt, which helps enroll and support formerly incarcerated students.

"We made a lot of great partnerships that I think are going to be long lasting," Gray said.

He also noted the McKinleyville Family Resource Center was the only rural organization in California to be awarded one of seven state grants to initiate a guaranteed income pilot program, akin to Tubbs' efforts in Stockton, which locally will provide 150 pregnant women who meet certain eligibility requirements \$920 a month for 18 months — no strings attached.

Enrollment is slated to begin in December.

Gray said many of the stories he heard in Humboldt are echoed by people living in poverty across the state, but other challenges are unique to the rural nature of the North Coast. He pointed to the need to travel long distances for medical care due to lack of

doctors and dentists, and spotty internet service that makes applying for safety net services even more difficult.

"So the reason why we tour the state, why we go everywhere from Crescent City down to San Diego and everywhere in between, is because we think it's really important to ensure the stories that really capture the very diverse experiences of Californians living in poverty are reflected in the broader narrative," Gray said. "And also that the policies that we are pushing for are actually grounded in people's experiences, and not just coming from our pre-suppositions or from think tanks from people who aren't connected to what people are going through on a day-to-day basis."

And, he said, EPIC wants to make sure "that when we are in Sacramento and working with legislators and people in the governor's office, what we are saying is actually grounded in the reality of people's experiences ... and that the stories we tell are authentic ones."

One of the universal issues that comes up no matter where EPIC goes is the conversation around accessing benefits, he said.

"The safety net has to be our North Star on the policies that we are pushing for because we have the money ... the infrastructure already exists, but we create

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so many barriers to entry and many times these barriers are because of the bad narratives that we talked about," Gray said. "The reason why we have work requirements and all the hoops that people have to jump through is because there is this inherent distrust of people living in poverty. And that leads to us structuring these programs to be focused more on fraud prevention than services delivery."

The benefit cliff issue, in particular, he said, "is so evil in so many ways" because people honestly reporting their income are being punished by having their benefits taken away for making a little extra money.

"They try to play by the rules and then they just end up further behind than when they started," he said.

EPIC is currently in talks with what Gray would only describe as a large California county on a pilot program that would allow recipients to stay on benefit programs longer and taper down the assistance over time.

Gray said one of the biggest takeaways from EPIC's tour through the northern reaches of the state, which included stops in Redding, Weaverville and Crescent City, as well as the one in Eureka, was that people feel there is a real disconnect in Sacramento and a "tendency to fall into one-size-fits-all policy making" on issues concerning the economy and people's economic mobility.

"But in a state as diverse as ours, where people really live very different lives depending on where they live ... that one-size-fits-all approach really falls short," he said.

Back in Humboldt County, Gray told the group that one of the lessons EPIC learned during these listening sessions is that "rural poverty looks very different."

Several people brought up impacts from the region's geographical isolation, including how gas is more expensive than other areas of the state — AAA lists Humboldt's average price on Monday at 10 cents a gallon more than the state as a whole — and how wages are lower but housing prices have skyrocketed in recent years, putting the dream of ownership out of the reach of many.

According to Realtor.com, the average home sold for \$368,500 in November of

2020 before reaching a high of \$555,500 in September of 2021. Last month, the median sold price was \$468,000.

Meanwhile, one person said, rents are increasing, leaving people in what they described as a "vicious cycle" of trying to come up with another round of deposits while searching for a less expensive place to live in a competitive market.

According to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), no more than 30 percent of a household's income should go toward paying rent. For a family of four making Humboldt's median income of \$53,000 that translates to \$1,325 a month in an area where a two-bedroom

apartment averages around \$1,200 to \$1,500, according to online rental sites Zillow and Zumper. In the case of a family living at the poverty level, their rent would need to be \$750 or less to meet HUD's 30-percent rule.

Similarly, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Living Wage Calculator estimates

a family of four in Humboldt County with two working parents would need both of them to earn \$26 an hour to meet their basic needs, and that's assuming a housing cost of \$13,699 a year, or \$1,140 per month.

"It's so isolated here," another speaker said. "You don't have a lot of options."

When Gray asked those gathered whether they felt elected officials in Sacramento heard them, aside from their own representatives, a susurrus of responses echoed across the room.

"People don't even know Humboldt is in California," one person answered.

As the night wrapped up, Gray told the group that EPIC would be staying in touch with them and the stories they shared would not disappear, but will go toward combating the false narratives surrounding poverty while also helping guide policy changes that the nonprofit will be pushing in the Capitol.

"Thank you for your candor and your wisdom and insight," he said. ●

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Tales from the CryptTok

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Timestamp: Sept. 20, 2023
Location: Trinidad, CA

Hey Grave Babies, it's me, Shyla, your favorite tomb raider! I know it's been a few weeks since I posted but I've been busy with a big surprise for you all! Remember how I told you St. Louis has some of the best archeo-foraging sites of all time? Well, check out this haul: You're looking at a vintage sweetheart locket necklace, actual gold, with what I am pretty sure are real rubies. We have a rough idea of when it was made because of what we know about the original owner — but this could actually be a family heirloom decades or even centuries older than her. If that's the case, we are talking about major profit, especially since I did not have to break the chain on this one to liberate it! This could offset the total cost of the trip and all my tools, as well as the cash-only motel where I'm filming this. Don't forget to check out my video on how to Off-Grid Grave Dig, for all of you who want to try the forage life but also want to play it safe! And now, the biggest surprise! Are you ready? OMG, okay, here it is. Yes, it's the key to the lock! What do I always say? Check. The. Bottom. Of. The. Box. I'm pretty sure this key was in the original owner's hand when she was interred, but it had slid right down to the foot of the casket and I had to sift through about 100 years' worth of decomp silt to find it. And I saved the big reveal for you guys! Even I don't know what's in here. Here we go ... aw, it's a lock of baby hair y'all. Classic. If you're a Patreon-level subscriber to my feed, you've seen my hair lock collection, which is getting a little too big to take on the road. Before photography was a thing, 19th century American settlers would often save little trinkets like this to remember their loved ones. Through foraging, we're only now finding out just how widespread this practice was — plus picking up cool collectibles! #historynerd!

Timestamp: Oct. 1, 2023
Location: Jackson, MS

Good morning, my gravebabies! As you can see, it's barely dawn out here and the mist is just starting to rise from the ground. Today I'm coming to you live from the Little Bethlehem cemetery just outside of beautiful Jackson, Mississippi. It's a perfect location for archeo-foraging for so many reasons, including its unsecured gate and quick access to the freeway once I'm done. But, most importantly, the dates, y'all, the dates! You gotta check those dates! Now, when I pan over this family plot, for example, what do you see? That's right, the same year of death for almost everyone: 1922. So we're probably looking at an outbreak of influenza or cholera. You know what I always say about epidemics: Shallow graves, cheap coffins! But I knew I was in for something special because, as you can see, it is just row after row of actual tombstones, meaning there was some serious intergenerational wealth here that translated to the survivors paying for proper masonry once the epidemic had ended. I was pretty sure I was going to find some cool stuff that you wouldn't see after the 1929 stock market crash, when a lot of families had to sell their heirlooms, and I wasn't disappointed. I'll give you a quick preview before I have to get back on the road. Please excuse all the dirt under my nails ...

Timestamp: Oct. 12, 2023
Location: Bloomington, IN

Hiiiiii Crypt Crew! Oh my gosh, it is *cold* here! I'm soooo thankful to my sponsor, Marshall's, for sending me these insulated gloves keeping my hands nice and toasty. Make sure you check out their special Family Weekend Pre-Holiday Sale! Use the code 6FTPLUNDER to get another 5 percent off selected items. And speaking of family ... did you know some of my favorite foraging sites



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belong to people who didn't have any? No, not orphans. Widows! I found this absolute gem of a mausoleum ripe for liberation. We're talking a wealthy widow. We're talking Gilded Age. We're talking no kids. And while there is one museum wing named after the family, I did some research and it turns out they didn't actually leave the museum any money, just some old artifacts and bones that got dug up when her husband's company built a canal and road system through Potawatomi land! That means some serious wealth probably went into the ground with her. Or, as it were, into the tomb, as everything here is aboveground. Now, normally, this is where things would get tricky. As you can see, this locked door might take a little extra work, but I'm going to make it happen. In the toolbox today: An electric saw with a diamond blade, plus several back-up blades and a portable generator. Also a crowbar, a pry-bar and some metal shears, which also come in handy if you ever have to get through bone. Ladies, don't be intimidated when you go into the hardware store! You got this! #Girlboss!

Timestamp: Oct. 13, 2023
Location: Bloomington Police Department holding room

Hey Crypties, just getting at you real fast before they take my phone away. They said I

could call my lawyer but I decided you — my fans — were so much more important. So this is a little goodbye for now, because I don't know when I'll be able to get back to work. I've discussed on this channel before how lopsided and unjust our legal system is, and now you're seeing it in action. Here I am, a female entrepreneur, making it happen in what has, candidly, been a male dominated field for centuries, and the patriarchy *cannot handle it*. It's just like I have said a thousand times: Our justice system literally prioritizes the rights of the dead over the need for the living to make a living. Which, by the way, is not going to be possible for me for a few months at least, so if you really love and support me, please, please consider sending some money to my Venmo to help pay for my legal fees. Or become a Patreon-level subscriber to my feed, which will unlock special bonus videos and maybe a treasure map to the hidden location of that baby hair collection you've been asking about. I'll be back with you as soon as you can, I promise! Don't forget to hit that 'like' button and share this post with the hashtag #ResurrectShyla! Kisses for now gravebabies, byeeeeeee! ●

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What the Candy You Steal from Children on Halloween Says About You

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There are three kinds of adult Halloween candy theft. There is snatching, the outright reaching into a bag/plastic Jack O'Lantern/pillowcase or sorting pile — sometimes this is done in a brazen smash and grab, sometimes surreptitiously with an offer of, "I'll hold your cauldron." Next there is the con, telling a child their candy will go to the Tooth Fairy, the needy or some invented candy monster who must be appeased with fun-size treats. Then there is embezzling. This is where many non-guardian culprits operate, cherry picking the Twix from a salad bowl by the door, then flipping off the porch light at 7:45 p.m. when they hit bottom.

Trades, unfair as they may be when negotiated with small children, are, like the rest of capitalism, not technically stealing. But you know what you did. And if you have informed said child that Mounds Bars are technically filled with vegetables, that goes under con.

Which Halloween candies drive us to toss our moral compasses like a roll of toilet paper over a rooftop reveal more about our character. Only beware — when you look into the candy bag, the candy looks into you.

Peanut Butter Cups: You are a creature of duality. On the outside, you're even tempered, sweet and mellow. But inside, you're salty as hell. Embrace it.

M&Ms: Ah, the good old days. The M&M, plain or peanut, speaks to your longing for simpler times when you had little to no idea what was going on. Listen

to how they click together like the beads of an abacus you don't know how to use. So soothing.

Black Licorice: This is the most Goth of candies, little twists of black hole that numb the tongue and blot out whatever flavors might follow. Those in thrall to its smoky Eldritch flavor don't care that large doses can prove toxic, for they crave the void.

Hot tamales/Fireballs: It feels like a gimme to say you are a volatile cocktail of emotions but be honest — hot cinnamon candy is for the passionate, those who ping-pong between extremes. Given your volcanic nature, a small fire in your mouth just feels leveling.

Fruit Juice-Sweetened Gummies: To the untrained eye, eschewing corn syrup and Red Dye No. 5 for these bland, dun-colored pectin blobs seems like righteous martyrdom. But I see the violence in you, compressed under a layer of carob. And we both know one day you will snap.

Skittles: The offspring of Starburst and M&Ms is for the romantic, the idealist whose imagination is goosed by a handful of pixie dust bombs. You're not crashing, you simply need more Skittles. Fly, you



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Sour Patch Kids: The official candy of charming extroverts and introverts who need a bracing jolt of tartness to socialize. Only take care you don't chase the sour dragon into Warheads territory because that is self-harm.

Hershey Mini Bars or Kisses: You could be mistaken for basic but for your willingness to risk a fleck of tinfoil clinging to the waxy chocolate to be ground between your molars. Ask yourself — do you fear the shiver of metal or does some part of you need the danger to feel alive?

Snickers: Nougat, caramel, nuts, chocolate — this is the candy of a hedonist for whom, according to William Blake, "The road to excess leads to the palace of wisdom." He writes, "You never know what is enough until you know what is more than enough." It's a personal journey but we're pretty sure even Blake would agree 12 is enough.

Candy Corn: You are not only in touch with your inner child but currently flailing around a bouncy house with them, and neither of you knows where your shoes are. You are a joy but you need supervision.

Wax Candy: How far are you from a police station? Turn yourself in and keep the public safe.

Mary Janes/Bit-O-Honey: Pluck open the wax paper wrapper and join the long line of old people with pockets and purses filled with cellophane-wrapped butterscotch they press into the hands of children whose parents they have not consulted. You are an old soul. Like really old.

Tootsie Rolls: This is one of the cheapest candies available in bulk, the taffy version of instant hot cocoa with the visual appeal of a busted brown crayon. You are a survivor. When civilization collapses, you will remain, invulnerable, dreamless, eternal. ●

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Robert Benson's *Tintah: Amongst the Trails* at the Goudi'ni Native American Arts Gallery

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“I will never lose the sense that I'm not separate,” says Robert Benson. In an Oct. 10 talk about his exhibition at Cal Poly Humboldt's Goudi'ni Gallery, he described his intimate relationship with the environment and all its elements, explaining how his relationship to the land, his sense of un-separateness informs his art.

Benson's exhibition *Tintah* includes works in wood and works on paper, presenting layers of interwoven relationships between categories that appear at first glance to be separate. Tensions between curved and angular lines are central to the show's aesthetic. Carved into wood and painted on paper, structural patterns interact with limitless variation. Benson says that the curved and angular lines in his art operate “like jazz.” Poetically, he relates the interplay between the melody and percussive lines in music to the interplay between the organic and geometric structures in his work. The visual rhythm of the show is undeniable.

In the Hupa language, the word *tintah*

means “amongst the trails.” Benson relates that while formulating the show, CPH Gallery Director Brittany Britton told him, “I want a forest of verticals in this room.” That is exactly what viewers get in the Goudi'ni Gallery: a trail through the space, which leads them around and through 6- to 8-foot-tall standing wood pillars each covered in relaxed linear designs, and past many waypoints of mounted watercolor paintings depicting rows of related designs in vibrant colors.

Benson's tall, freestanding pillars maintain a two-dimensional quality that relates to the paintings. Each sculpture has four flat sides that are carved as raised planes. The designs exist in bas-relief on the surfaces. The structures seem almost as though they were built by folding. In these and in Benson's other sculptures, it appears that the process of carving reveals a hidden geometry within the organic forms. His geometric designs are



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“Woodpile,” by Robert Benson.

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"Burning Along the River," by Robert Benson.
Courtesy of Goud'ni Native American Arts Gallery

all mathematically imperfect. They look slightly melted, presenting a synthesis of the geometric and organic. In all the works in the show, micro geometry appears to build into an organic macro structure.

Benson states that the only language in his work is visual language. The linear arrangement of his repetitive marks, particularly in the paintings, though, does call writing to mind. The discrete geometric strokes invoke a symbolic recognition, as if they belong to a system of signs, some fundamental language just beyond knowledge.

Benson talks about a visual language of geometry, saying he is influenced by woven geometric designs in baskets, leather purses and regalia. However, in making contemporary art for a fine art context, he doesn't want to appropriate these designs.

He describes the process of developing the work for *Tintah* as a "full circle journey," citing its origins in ceremony. Benson's cousin asked him to help with coming-of-age ceremonies for cousin's two daughters. In the village Wel'din, around Willow Creek, Benson helped with building the plank house, making regalia and creating songs. He also began conceiving the exhibition.

Benson tells how he was born "a loud yell" from the village, and spent the first three-and-a-half years of his life with only the land and his parents. His father, he explains, believed in assimilation and so they eventually moved to Arcata, where Benson went to high school. Benson notes the trade-offs between assimilated life and life further out of town, closer to tradition. He describes how he was able to get his masters of fine arts degree and good jobs, like his position as an art professor at Col-

lege of the Redwoods for 30 years. He also explains that he was disconnected from his cultural traditions. At the same time he highlights the tension between assimilation and tradition, Benson stresses he is placed in the land. His artistic exploration comes from deep within a cultural source.

In 1990, after decades of work, Benson says he was "out of gas" as a painter. He had always wanted to make sculpture and it was his time to begin. Working with wood, he realized he was able to incorporate the organic material of his physical homeland into his practice. When he cuts into the wood, the grain stands out. He says the lines of the wood grain synthesize with his conscious and subconscious conceptions and direct the practice. "I've spent a lot of unhappy days as an artist," Benson says. "Things don't work out as planned — [it's] better to just work."

In the press release for the exhibition, Benson articulates that "to be amongst the trails is to find your rhythm, your place, and to discover the interplay between that rhythm and the melody of the universe."

Robert Benson's Tintah: Amongst the Trails is on view through Dec. 2 at the Goud'ni Native American Arts Gallery on the Cal Poly Humboldt campus at the corner of Union and 14th streets, in room 104 of the Behavioral and Social Sciences Building. Gallery hours are Wednesday and Thursday noon to 6 p.m., Friday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Saturday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., or by appointment. Email rbg@humboldt.edu, call (707) 826-5818 or visit artfilm.humboldt.edu/galleries. ●

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ARCATA THEATRE LOUNGE 1036 G St., Arcata (707) 822-1220		College Night: Vampire Ball 9 p.m. \$10	Booty Shakin' Halloween w/ Los Rakas (hip hop, DJs) 9 p.m. \$20-\$25	<i>Hocus Pocus</i> (1993) (film) 6 p.m. \$8, \$12 admission and poster, pre-show at 5 p.m.	[T] <i>Hocus Pocus</i> (1993) (film) 6 p.m. \$8, \$12 admission and poster [W] Sci-Fi Night: <i>Jurassic Park</i> (1993) (film) 7 p.m. \$5, \$9 admission and poster, preshow at 6 p.m.
THE BASEMENT 780 Seventh St., Arcata (707) 845-2309	RLA (jazz) 9 p.m. TBA	Caribbean Jazz Odyssey 9 p.m. TBA	Route 66 with Francis Vanek & Joani Rose (jazz) 6 p.m. TBA		
BEAR RIVER CASINO RESORT 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta (707) 733-9644	Thirsty Bear: DJ Statik and Friends, 9 p.m. Free	Thirsty Bear: Almost Dangerous (classic hits) 9 p.m. Free	Thirsty Bear: Halloween Party w/Makenu (psychedelic cumbia), Scarytale Costume Contest 9 p.m. Free	Thirsty Bear: Karaoke 9 p.m. Free	[W] Thirsty Bear: Bootz N Beers (country music/ line dancing lessons) 7-9 p.m. Free
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BLUE LAKE CASINO WAVE LOUNGE 777 Casino Way, Blue Lake (707) 668-9770		Wave: Latin Night w/DJ Pachanguero 9 p.m. Free	Sapphire: Polyrythmics (progressive funk, psychedelic rock) 9 p.m. \$20, Wave: Dr. Squid (dance hits) 9 p.m. Free		
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TRINIDAD TOWN HALL 409 Trinity St.		Lacuna and Sean Patrick Nolan (Tom Waits tribute) 7:30 p.m. \$5-\$20 sliding		Hot Buttered Rum Duo (Nat Keefe, Erik Yates) 7 p.m. \$30	
WRANGLTOWN CIDER 955 I St., Arcata (707) 508-5175	Americana Showcase w/ the New Pelicans, Turtle Goodwater 7-9:30 p.m. TBA		Home Cookin' (originals, rock standards) 7-9:30 p.m. \$5-\$10 sliding		

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And if you're wondering, 99 words is exactly this long.



Dressing Up

By Collin Yeo

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Time for a costume suggestion. We all know about David Bowie's various personas, the most famous of which was Ziggy Stardust. There was also Aladdin Sane, the Thin White Duke and Jared the Goblin King. But for a brief moment during his fascist Orwellian masterpiece from 1974, *Diamond Dogs*, the world got a taste of Halloween Jack. Complete with red mullet from the Ziggy-era, but with an eyepatch and, in some cases, the airbrushed lower body of a Doberman. Weird shit — Google it. The unusual album was the last from his glam era and opens with a monologue describing the apocalyptic urban decay of Hunger City, where “fleas the size of rats sucked on rats the size of cats” and the remaining humans formed dense warring tribes beneath the high rises like something straight out of a J.G. Ballard novel. If nothing else, it underscores the death of the hippie fest of the '60s, ripped to shreds by the avant-queer iridescence of the postmodern '70s, free love fueled by freebase and a sense of decadence on par with the last days of an exploding star. The title song roars out of the gate with the snarled declaration “This ain't rock 'n roll! This is ... genocide!” a sentiment that carries a deep perverse murmur in the tachycardia patterns of today's news cycle. We are given a glimpse into a world where the collapsing gray decay of fascism is overrun by a nihilistic collective mania whose practicing hysterics are fueled by rebellion and mass death. Along with his previous glam records (my favorite is *Aladdin Sane*) Bowie made a world full of paranoid danger seem supernaturally glamorous and then killed it all brutally with the warhead cudgel of an authoritarian death drive. All in glory, no one was saved.

So, yeah. Maybe see if you can throw something like that together out of the wardrobe. If not, there are always other options. Snoopy's a perennial favorite. Have a Happy Halloween.

Thursday

Longtime readers might remember my review of The Handshakers' debut record a few years ago, where I was smitten by the group's excellent mix of acoustic country and folk songwriting married to superb and tasteful playing (“The Handshakers Find Their Place,” March 21, 2019). Those of you who enjoyed that project will want to listen up, as the majority of those musicians have formed a brand new group, built around an Americana sound with a nod toward the music of New Orleans. **The New Pelicans** will perform their debut concert at Wrangletown Cider, with doors at 6 p.m., music at 7 p.m., and a \$10 admission. Barn Fire's **Turtle Goodwater** will join this cast of local all-stars so this is going to be a special night.

Friday

Body Academics is a queer multimedia collective from Portland that will be taking over the Miniplex tonight for a double-feature showing of the group's original sci fi musical *Evil Babylon*. The film, which I have read involves an evangelical race car driver whose interplanetary travels help unbind him from a background of religious repression, stars many luminaries from the Portland drag scene, and will play at 6:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. There's an electro dance and house-heavy afterparty with **DJ Rosé**, **Kid Telex** and **Husbands**, as well as a lot of accompanying local and out of town drag performers leading the bounce. Costumes are encouraged (don't forget this weekend is Halloween-plus for many of us). It's \$10 for the whole shebang and this show is not for anyone under 21, so make sure you have I.D.

Saturday

Hey, hey, another milestone holiday, which (generally) means another install-



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Body Academics shows its sci-fi musical *Evil Babylon* at the Miniplex on Friday, Oct. 27 at 6:30 and 8 p.m. Photo by Tommy Spaghetteria, courtesy of the artists

ment of the ever-loving vinyl dance celebration called **Soul Party**. Join DJs **Red, Funky T Rex, King Maxwell** and **Philly Fresh** for a night of spooky, groovy, soul shakers from the wax vaults of yesteryear. This one is starting at 9 p.m., a little earlier from previous installments, so that \$10 admission gets you even more fun.

Sunday

The **Hot Buttered Rum Duo** features Erik Yates and Nat Keefe, two members of the venerable San Francisco bluegrass band with the same name minus the duo part. Tonight they'll be pickin' and grinnin' at the Trinidad Town Hall, where the warm wooden acoustics of the room are just about perfect for some guitar, dobro vibrations, and banjo slaps. Doors are at 6 p.m., music at 7 p.m., and \$30 gets you lots of good sounds.

Monday

This is the last Metal Monday of the month at Savage Henry Comedy Club and it's looking to be a heavy one. Texas math and grindcore band **The Sound That Ends Creation** fills the touring band slot, and local support comes in the form of **Grug!**, **Satanicus Sarcophilus** and **Racket**, which balances nicely across the punk to grindcore spectrum. As always, the gig is an all ages one, so bring an I.D. to drink something fermented, and get there around 7 p.m. with \$5 to \$10 in hand, personal budget depending.

Tuesday (Halloween)

Here it is, the spookiest of (American) holidays on perhaps the most underwhelming day of the week. That's OK, you can still have some fun. There are a lot of haunted events going around, so rather than do a round up, I'd rather promote a show I hinted at last week. Outlaw country-tonk band **Barn Fire** will be bringing down the house at the Logger Bar for a free Halloween party show that starts at a work-week friendly 9 p.m.

Wednesday (All Saints' Day, Day of the Dead)

Considering the paucity of gigs today and the fact that I have pushed a lot of movie nights lately — *Jurassic Park* at the Arcata Theatre Lounge at 6 p.m., \$5-\$9 if you're still into the big screen — I'm going to suggest a night off for reflection, prayer or whatever you like to help bring us toward the outer track of autumn brought on by the coming time change on Sunday. It's been a long year that's showing no sign of letting up.



Collin Yeo (he/him) has heard it called "the year of the scavenger, the season of the bitch." He lives in Arcata.



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Erik Yates, left; Nat Keefe, right of Hot Buttered Rum. Submitted



Photo by Mark Larson

Trinidad Town Hall is hosting a couple of outstanding concerts this weekend. First, Humboldt County band **Lacuna** pays tribute to singer-songwriter Tom Waits on **Friday, Oct. 27, at 7:30 p.m.** (\$5-\$20 sliding). The band will perform Waits' music and songs of band members Rob Cunningham and Sean Patrick Nolan as a benefit for Westhaven Center for the Arts. Special guests include Joey Mallet (vocals) and Rob Diggins (violin). And two guys that bluegrass lovers will recognize from renowned group Hot Buttered Rum, **Nat Keefe and Erik Yates**, take the stage at the **Trinidad Town Hall** on **Sunday, Oct. 29, at 7 p.m.** (\$30) to bring you an evening of tight harmonies and skillful plucking on the banjo, dobro and flatpicked guitar. Refreshments available at both shows.

Looking for a safe and festive trick-or-treating experience for the kids this Halloween? Look no further than your own town. From McKinleyville to Garberville, there's Halloween fun to be had by all. In McKinleyville, take your little monsters to the **39th annual Halloween Costume Parade on Saturday, Oct. 28**, starting at **11 a.m.** in the **McKinleyville Shopping Center** (free). This safe and festive trick-or-treating experience is open to all children. The parade starts promptly at 11 a.m. In Eureka, the **Old Town Trick or Treat** happens **Saturday, Oct. 28**, from **2 to 4 p.m.** Look for participating businesses handing out candy to kids in costume. On Halloween day, **Tuesday, Oct. 31**, the streets around the **Arcata Plaza** will be blocked off for a safe and fun trick-or-treating adventure from **3 to 6 p.m.** In **Fortuna**, it's the annual **Trunk or Treat** on **Tuesday, Oct. 31**, from **3 to 5 p.m.** where participants decorate their vehicles and hand out candy to kids. And the **Garberville Halloween Festival**, happening **Tuesday, Oct. 31**, from **3 to 5 p.m.** at **Garberville Town Square**, will have a costume contest, music by Irie Rockerz, a flash mob, and trunk or treating.



Rocky Horror Picture Show

Dress to impress in fishnets and corsets, or embrace your inner alien and toast to the unconventional when the **Eureka Theater** presents **The Rocky Horror Picture Show**, **Saturday, Oct. 28, at 7:30 p.m.** (\$20). Whether you're a first-timer or a seasoned participant, this interactive presentation of the campy cult classic promises to be a riotous good time for all. The first 50 ticket holders in the door get a special "Rocky Horror Survival Kit." Specialty themed cocktails will be offered along with a full bar. And after the show, DJ Staik will have you out on the dance floor doing "The Time Warp," again. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Movie starts at 7:30 p.m. This is an 18 and up event.

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ART

Figure Drawing at Synopsis. 7-9 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. With a live model. Bring your own art supplies. Call to contact Clint. \$5. synopsisperformance.com. (707) 362-9392.

Meet The Local Maker: Little Kestrel Apothecary. 5-8 p.m. Humboldt Bay Social Club, 900 New Navy Base Road, Samoa. Come by The Social Club to see Neysa and her goods: tinctures, aromatic bitters and teas. humboldtbaysocialclub.com.

Meet The Local Maker: Lucid Society Dyes. 5-8 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Featuring local maker Gretchen Hammer with Lucid Society Dyes. instagram.com/p/CybY5bwMoNp/?igshid=MzRlODBiNWFlZA==.

Meet The Local Maker: Stuffles and Things. 5-8 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. The second local maker this month is Indica Cass with Stuffles and Things. scotia-lodge.com.

My Black Story Exhibit. 6-9 p.m. 4th Street Mercantile, 215 Fourth St., Eureka. Art exhibit featuring local Black artists.

The Spirit of Arcata Marsh - Paul and Nancy Rickard. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. The September/October exhibit celebrates a contemporary depiction of the 54-year-old marsh. (707) 826-2359.

Tintah: Amongst The Trails. Goudi'ni Native American Arts Gallery, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Works in wood and works on paper by Robert Benson. Exhibition runs through Dec. 2. art.humboldt.edu/galleries.

DANCE

Cistem Failure. 6:30-10 p.m. Outer Space Arcata, 837 H St. A half dozen performances by queer youth of Humboldt County. All-ages drag show. \$10, no one turned away. outerspacearcata@gmail.com.

LECTURE

Campus and Community Dialogue on Race - James Binnall. 5-6:30 p.m. Native American Forum, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Project Rebound presents James Binnall: The Moral Character and Fitness Determination - Navigating the Process with a Criminal Conviction. Free. kwl@humboldt.edu. dialogue.humboldt.edu. (707) 826-5656.

THEATER

The Rocky Horror Show. 7:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. Your favorite cult classic is back for another Halloween on the Ferndale stage. \$25. info@ferndalerep.org. ferndalerep.org/. (707) 786-5483.

FOR KIDS

Teen Court Jury Training. 4:15-6:15 p.m. Boys & Girls Club of the Redwoods, 939 Harris St., Eureka. Training for new teen volunteers in grades 8-12. Teen Court is a real court run by teens for teens. It is based on restorative justice, community building, peer-led support and healing. hct-eencourt@bgcredwoods.org. (707) 444-0153.

FOOD

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. Fresh fruits and vegetables, baked goods, jam, plants and more. Music and hot food vendors. No pets are allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/hendersoncenter.html. (707) 441-9999.

McKinleyville Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. Eureka Natural Foods, McKinleyville, 2165 Central Ave. Fresh fruits and vegetables, hot cocoa and more. Music and hot food vendors. No pets are allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/mckinleyville.html. (707) 441-9999.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Far Out Farmgirl's Pumpkin Patch. 11 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farmgirl's Farm, 31 Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. Come pick from thousands of organic, sustainably dry-farmed pumpkins and squash in a variety of colors, shapes and sizes, both culinary and decorative. Free. fe@faroutfarmgirl.com. faroutfarmgirl.com/pumpkin-patch/.

Griffin Loch's Scream-A-Torium. 5:30-10 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. Three haunted mazes, roaming hunters, live music, a pumpkin patch, food trucks and a VIP Haunted Tiki Room Lounge. Festival admission includes entertainment and unlimited haunted tours. Suggested age: 12 and up. \$20 children, \$30 adults, \$50 VIP. screamatoriumhaunt@gmail.com. screamatorium-haunt.com/. (707) 466-7414.

The Haunted Kinetic Lab of Horrors. 7 p.m.-midnight. Kinetic Sculpture Lab, Eighth and N streets, Arcata. Terrifying guided tour. Fundraiser for maintaining the space for the annual Kinetic Grand Championship. Live music nightly by The Dead Drops. Ages 13 and older. \$15 cash only at the gate.

OUTDOORS

Nature Quest. 2-5 p.m. Eureka Municipal Auditorium, 1120 F St. Wilderness immersion program for teens and adults. Explore trails and share mindfulness practices, group conversation and other eco-therapeutic activities. Adults meet Thursdays, teens meet one Saturday a month. Transportation provided for Eureka residents. Please pre-register. Free. swood2@eurekaca.gov. eurekaheroes.org. (707) 382-5338.

ETC

Out 4 Business. Last Thursday of every month, 5-7 p.m. Phatsy Kline's Parlor Lounge, 139 Second St., Eureka. An LGBTQ+ professionals networking mixer for LGBTQ+ community, friends, allies and business professionals who

value diversity and inclusivity. Food and drinks. trex@his-toriceaglehouse.com. fb.me/e/2i5gvvdKT. (707) 407-0634.

Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents classes focused on strength and mobility (Tuesday), and on relaxation and breath work (Thursday). Contact instructor Ann Constantino for online orientation. \$3-\$5 donation per class, no one is turned away for lack of funds. annconstantino@gmail.com. sohumhealth.org. (707) 923-3921.

27 Friday

ART

My Black Story Exhibit. 6-9 p.m. 4th Street Mercantile, 215 Fourth St., Eureka. See Oct. 26 listing.

Off the Wall First Look. 5:30-7 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Be one of 50 guests for the Off the Wall First Look reception, where guests will have the opportunity to purchase art from the exhibition on opening night. Secure a spot at humboldtarts.org/offthewallfirstlook. \$50. humboldtarts.org.

BOOKS

Book Sale. 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Friends of the Redwood Libraries, 1313 Third St., Eureka. Friday's sale is for members only, with memberships available at the door. Saturday's sale is open to everyone. Around 10,000 books, including literary sets and books about baseball. CDs and DVDs also available. Small bills appreciated. friends@eurekafrl.org. eurekafrl.org. (707) 269-1995.

Freeman House: A Watershed Runs Through You. 7-8 p.m. Northtown Books, 957 H St., Arcata. Jerry Martien presents A Watershed Runs Through You, a new collection of essays by his late friend Freeman House. info@northtownbooks.com. www.northtownbooks.com/event/freeman-house-watershed-runs-through-you. (707) 683-2491.

Weekly Preschool Story Time. Eureka Library, 1313 Third St. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in the children's room. For children 2 to 6 years old with their caregivers. Other family members are welcome to join in the fun. Free. manthony@co.humboldt.ca.us. humlib.org. (707) 269-1910.

DANCE

Teen Masquerade Ball. 8-11 p.m. Eureka Veterans Memorial Hall, 1018 H St. High schoolers, wear your best and compete in the costume contest. Concessions and masquerade masks sold at the event. Must be a high school student to enter. \$10. pedalsnappers@gmail.com. pedalsnappers.com.

LECTURE

Harry S. Kieval Lecture. 7 p.m. Science Building B, Room 135, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Edray Goins, professor of mathematics at Pomona College in Claremont, CA, delivers the 80th lecture, entitled Distance Makes the Math Grow Deeper: Rational Distance Sets, Nate Dean, and Me. Free.

MOVIES

Evil Babylon Film Premiere w/Cast. 6:30 & 8 p.m. Richards' Goat Tavern & Tea Room Miniplex, 401 I St., Arcata. The band Body Academics presents a sci-fi movie featuring all original music and starring Portland drag stars Carla Rossi, Pepper Pepper, Silhouette, Desdemona Lisa and more. Two showings. \$10, includes afterparty w/ cast. info@miniplexevents.com. miniplex.ticketleap.com/evil-babylon/. (707) 630-5000.

MUSIC

Beer and Peanuts McKinleyville. 7-9 p.m. Azalea Hall, 1620 Pickett Road, McKinleyville. Humboldt Harmonaires' (Humboldt County's Barbershop choir) annual fall show. In addition to great music, beer and peanuts will be served (non-alcoholic beverages as well). \$15. www.mckinleyvillecsd.com/azalea-hall. (925) 518-8956.

Lacuna and Sean Patrick Nolan. 7:30 p.m. Trinidad Town Hall, 409 Trinity St. Benefit concert for The Westhaven Center for The Arts. Featuring the songs of Tom Waits, Rob Cunningham and Sean Patrick Nolan. Refreshments available. \$5-20 sliding scale.

THEATER

The Rocky Horror Show. 7:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. See Oct. 26 listing.

EVENTS

Friday Night Market. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Old Town, Eureka, 317 Third St. A bustling farmers market, arts and craft vendors, bar featuring Humboldt produced beverages, a variety of food vendors and live music for dancing on three stages. Free. humboldtmade.com/eureka-friday-night-market.

Scotia Lodge Historical Tours and Drinks. 6-9 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Two one-hour tours. One at 6 p.m. One at 8 p.m. Each tour includes three choice beverages and a tour of the famed Scotia Lodge third floor hostel rooms. \$25. www.scotia-lodge.com/hosted-events. (707) 298-7139.

FOR KIDS

Kid's Night at the Museum. 5:30-8 p.m. Redwood Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Drop off your 3.5-12 year old for interactive exhibits, science experiments, crafts and games, exploring the planetarium, playing in the water table or jumping into the soft blocks. \$17-\$20. info@discovery-museum.org. discovery-museum.org/classesprograms.html. (707) 443-9694.

Weekly Preschool Storytime. Eureka Library, 1313 Third St. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in the children's room. For children 2 to 6 years old with their caregivers and other family members. Free. manthony@co.humboldt.ca.us. humboldt.gov.org/Calendar.aspx?EID=8274. (707) 269-1910.

FOOD

Bear River Tribal Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Bear River Family Entertainment Center, 263 Keisner Road, Loleta. Locally produced foods, handmade goods and crafts, massage, food trucks, bowling and arcade. bearriverfec.com.

Garberville Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Garberville Town Square, Church Street. Fresh produce, meat, fish, cheese, eggs, bread, flowers and more. Music and hot food vendors. No pets, but trained, ADA-certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/garberville.html. (707) 441-9999.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Help with animal care, weeding, watering, planting and occasional harvest help on Saturday mornings. Volunteers get free produce. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Far Out Farmgirl's Pumpkin Patch. 11 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farmgirl's Farm, 31 Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 26 listing.

Griffin Loch's Scream-A-Torium. 5:30-10 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. See Oct. 26 listing.

The Haunted Kinetic Lab of Horrors. 7 p.m.-midnight. Kinetic Sculpture Lab, Eighth and N streets, Arcata. See Oct. 26 listing.

Haunted Rail Tour. 6 p.m.-midnight. Timber Heritage Association, 930 Vance Avenue, Samoa. Two haunted tours: one self-guided (PG-13) and the other a terrifying journey through haunted rail cars (rated R). Enjoy thematic

decorations, wandering monsters and a Haunted Night Market (PG-13). \$15-\$25. hauntedrailtour@gmail.com. clarkmuseum.org/haunted-rail-tour.html.

SPORTS

Adult October Skate Night. 6:30-9 p.m. Eureka Municipal Auditorium, 1120 F St. Adults only. Costumes encouraged. First-come, first-served. Maximum 75 skaters \$6. cjungers@eurekaca.gov. (707) 441-4248.

ETC

OLLI Online: Let's Connect. 10-11 a.m. Weekly chat via Zoom. Facilitated by Tracey Barnes-Priestley. Free. olli@humboldt.edu. extended.humboldt.edu/olli/letsconnect. (707) 826-3731.

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents online classes with short, high intensity cardio workouts. Contact instructor Stephanie Finch by email for a link to the class. Free. sfinch40@gmail.com. sohumhealth.com.

28 Saturday

ART

My Black Story Exhibit. 6-9 p.m. 4th Street Mercantile, 215 Fourth St., Eureka. See Oct. 26 listing.

Under the Canopy. 9 a.m. Sequoia Park, 3414 W St., Eureka. Maker's Apron Creative Reuse artists create a temporary installation celebrating the cycle of birth, death, decay and rebirth, taking place beneath the redwood canopy. Artists will begin work on the pathway at 9 a.m., placing seeds, flowers, vegetables and vegetation and building intricate designs. Registration encouraged. Free. underthecanopy.eventbrite.com.

BOOKS

A Watershed Runs Through You: Essays, Talks, and Reflections on Salmon, Restoration, and Community by Freeman House. 2-4 p.m. Mattole Valley Community Center, 29230 Mattole Road, Petrolia. Jerry Martien presents A Watershed Runs Through You, a new collection of essays by his late friend Freeman House.

Book Sale. 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Friends of the Redwood Libraries, 1313 Third St., Eureka. See Oct. 27 listing.

DANCE

Zombie Ballet. 7 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. The ghouls and bats at North Coast Dance dust off their broomsticks, top hats and toe shoes for a one-night-only event. \$20.

MOVIES

The Rocky Horror Picture Show. 7:30 p.m. Eureka Theater, 612 F St. Interactive event, so dress up and bring your props. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Movie starts at 7:30 p.m. \$20. theeurekatheater.org.

MUSIC

Booty Shakin' Halloween w/Los Rakas. 9 p.m.-2 a.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. With DJ Pressure, DJ M, D'Vinity and Vinyl Richie. Costume contest with cash prizes, go-go and pole dancers, laser lights and more. Show at 9:30 p.m. Ages 21 and up. \$20-\$25. bootyshakinmusicproductions@yahoo.com. facebook.com/events/314454117797507. (707) 367-5949.

Daniela Mineva and Wenqing Bouche-Pillon. 7 p.m. Fulkerson Recital Hall, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. A four hands, two pianos concert consisting of a wide range of styles. The two players will blend together as one musical

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THEATER

Natural Shocks by Lauren Gunderson. 5 p.m. EXIT Theatre, 890 G St., Arcata. EXIT Theatre reprises the 2022 Redwood Curtain Theatre production of Natural Shocks featuring Ruthi Engelke in the lead role. \$20.

The Rocky Horror Show. 7:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. See Oct. 26 listing.

EVENTS

Jacoby Creek Land Trust Harvest Festival. 1-5 p.m. Jacoby Creek Land Trust, 2182 Old Arcata Road, Bayside. Family-friendly event with pumpkin carving, music, lawn games, artisanal beverages (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) and information about restoration work within the watershed. Food for purchase from TRIB Research and Caudal Fin Farm. Free. jacobycreekt@gmail.com. JCLandTrust.org. (707) 822-0900.

FOOD

Arcata Plaza Farmers Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Fresh produce, meat, fish, cheese, eggs, bread, flowers and more. Music and hot food vendors. No pets, but trained, ADA-certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/arcatapla.html. (707) 441-9999.

Fair Curve Farm Stand. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Fair Curve Farm Stand, 600 Main St., Ferndale. Seasonal, certified organic vegetables and flowers from Fair Curve Farm, plus local eggs, bread and more from local Eel River Valley producers. Cash, card and EBT accepted. @faircurvefarm on Instagram and Facebook. faircurvefarm@gmail.com. faircurvefarm.com.

Farm Stand. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Table Bluff Farm, 101 Clough Road, Loleta. Regeneratively-grown seasonal veggies, flowers, meats and other items made by Humboldt County locals and small businesses. Cash, card, Venmo, Apple Pay and soon to accept EBT payments. info@tableblufffarm.com. TableBluffFarm.com. (707) 890-6699.

Humboldt Grange Breakfast. Fourth Saturday of every month, 8-11 a.m. Humboldt Grange Hall, 5845 Humboldt Hill Road, Eureka. Eggs, sausage (link or patties), pancakes, biscuits and gravy, coffee, tea, cocoa, juice, family, friends and community. Dine in or take out. \$10, free for kids under 5. facebook.com/humboldt.grange.

Sea Goat Farmstand. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Fresh veggies grown on site, local eggs and sourdough bread. Work from local artists and artisans. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

GARDEN

CNPS North Coast Fall Post-Sale. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Freshwater Farms Reserve, 5851 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. All plants on sale. See website for a list of plants offered. northcoastcnps@gmail.com. northcoastcnps.org/. (707) 267-0397.

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See Oct. 27 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Halloween Costume Parade. 11 a.m. McKinleyville Shopping Center, Central Avenue. Safe and fun trick-or-treating open to all children. Meet by the signs in the parking lot at the Shopping Center before 11 a.m. Parade starts promptly at 11 a.m. Free. mscevents707@gmail.com.

Far Out Farmgirl's Pumpkin Patch. 11 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Far Out Farmgirl's Farm, 31 Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 26 listing.

Griffin Loch's Scream-A-Torium. 5:30-10 p.m. Humboldt

County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. See Oct. 26 listing.

Halloween Celebration at the Heights. 4-6 p.m. Cher-Ae Heights Casino, 27 Scenic Drive, Trinidad. Trick or treating for adults rom 4 to 6 p.m. Costume contest in Bingo Hall at 8:30 p.m. www.cheraeheightscasino.com.

The Haunted Kinetic Lab of Horrors. 7 p.m.-midnight. Kinetic Sculpture Lab, Eighth and N streets, Arcata. See Oct. 26 listing.

Haunted Rail Tour. 6 p.m.-midnight. Timber Heritage Association, 930 Vance Avenue, Samoa. See Oct. 27 listing.

Old Town Trick or Treat. 2-4 p.m. Historic Old Town Eureka, Second Street. Look for participating businesses handing out candy to kids in costume. eurekaainstreet.org.

Rohner Park's Spook-A-Thon. 12-2 p.m. Rohner Park, 5 Park St., Fortuna. friendlyfortuna.com.

Spooky Candlelit Walk. 5:30-9:30 p.m. Humboldt Redwoods State Park Visitor's Center, 17119 Avenue of the Giants, Weott. A self-guided frightful tour through candlelit haunted forest. \$5. humboldtredwoods.org.

The Spooky Scavenger Hunt. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Sequoia Park, 3414 W St., Eureka. Take part in a pumpkin scavenger hunt along the Sequoia Park trails to earn candy and prizes. Games, food and more. All ages welcome. Inclement weather moves the event to Eureka Municipal Auditorium from noon-2 p.m. Free. facebook.com/eurekacommunity-services. (707) 441-4248.

Taking Flight: A Magical Moonlit Hallows' Eve Tour. 5-8 p.m. Humboldt Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 24 Fellowship Way, Bayside. An enchanted walk through the grounds with a Guiding Light. Hands-on activities like experiments, crafts. Ends with fireside cider and cupcakes. A non-scary event for all ages. Costumes encouraged. Tours start every 20 minutes. Pre-register to attend. \$10, \$5 children. comm@huuf.org. signuugenius.com/go/10C084AAAFAC28AB-F8CE9-45209384-taking#/. (707) 822-3793.

OUTDOORS

Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Bird Walk. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring binoculars and meet trip leader Kathryn Wendel at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) for easy-to-walk trails and an opportunity to view a diverse range of species. Free. rras.org.

FOAM Marsh Tour. 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Meet Friends of the Arcata Marsh leader Elliott Dabill in the lobby of the Interpretive Center on South G Street for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine walk focusing on marsh history, wastewater treatment and/or ecology. Free. (707) 826-2359.

Great Humboldt Bay Costume Paddle. Humboldt Bay Boat Launch under the Samoa Bridge, Waterfront Drive, Eureka. A family-friendly costumed paddle. Bring your own watercraft (no motor boats), life jackets required. Paddle from the Humboldt Bay Bridge in Eureka to the foot of F Street for ice cream and back. Prize for the best costume. \$10. redwoodrafters@gmail.com. usarc.us/.

Southern Humboldt Birding Field Trip. 8:30 a.m. Southern Humboldt Community Park, 1144 Sprowel Creek Road, Garberville. Join trip leader Max Brodie at Tooby Park, 1 mile west of Garberville on Sprowl Creek Road. These monthly outings are along easily accessible walking paths and generally last 2-3 hours. Heavy rain cancels. Free. rras.org.

Spooky Dunes. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Follow a treasure map and learn about the biodiversity and ecology of the dunes. Complete the quest to find treasure to take home. Costumes strongly encouraged. Drop in between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. This is a Spanish bilingual event geared for families with children ages 3-10. Prepare for the weather and a short hike in soft sand. RSVP recommended.

Wigi Wetlands Volunteer Restoration. Fourth Saturday

of every month, 9-11 a.m. Bayshore Mall, 3300 Broadway, Eureka. Help create bird-friendly native habitats and restore a section of the bay trail by removing invasive plants and trash. Meet in the parking lot directly behind Walmart. Tools, gloves and packaged snacks provided. Please bring your own drinking water. Free. jeremy.cashen@yahoo.com. rras.org. (214) 605-7368.

ETC

Adult Skate Night. Last Saturday of every month, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Skating Rink, Rohner Park. Ages 18 and older only. IDs checked at door. Alcohol and drug-free event. \$5.50 includes skate rental.

29 Sunday

ART

Fall/ Halloween Craft Fair. 1-6 p.m. Lost Coast Brewery Taproom, 1600 Sunset Drive, Eureka. Local artists, crafts-people and vendors. Call if interested in selling. Free to shop, \$20 to vend. ahamlin@lostcoast.com. lostcoast.com. (707) 267-9651.

My Black Story Exhibit. 6-9 p.m. 4th Street Mercantile, 215 Fourth St., Eureka. See Oct. 26 listing.

MOVIES

Grown Up Movie Night. 6-8 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Finish off the weekend with classics in the lounge. Food and drinks available at the lodge's Main & Mill restaurant. Movies are PG/PG-13 and titles are listed online. Free. scotia-lodge.com/hosted-events. (707) 298-7139.

Hocus Pocus (1993). 5-8 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 5 p.m. Movie at 6 p.m. Rated PG. All ages. A teenage boy and his little sister battle a trio of diabolical witches from the 17th century. \$8, \$12 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/648455370423529. (707) 613-3030.

MUSIC

Bach On!. 3-4:30 p.m. Christ Episcopal Church, 1428 H St., Eureka. String orchestra music from the ages with emphasis on the baroque, especially Bach, Handel, Vivaldi and contemporaries. Donations. reid.blickenstaff1970@gmail.com. (360) 990-3790.

Hot Buttered Rum Duo. 7 p.m. Trinidad Town Hall, 409 Trinity St. Nat Keefe and Erik Yates of the bluegrass group perform. Tickets at Eventbrite. Doors open at 6 p.m. \$30.

THEATER

Natural Shocks by Lauren Gunderson. 3 p.m. EXIT Theatre, 890 G St., Arcata. See Oct. 28 listing.

The Rocky Horror Show. 2 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. See Oct. 26 listing.

FOR KIDS

Family Movie Day at HBSC. 2-4 p.m. Humboldt Bay Social Club, 900 New Navy Base Road, Samoa. Bring the family out and get cozy and enjoy favorites rated G-PG. Drinks and snacks available at the Lobby Bar. Movie titles are on listed online. Free. humboldtbaysocialclub.com/our-events. (707) 502-8544.

FOOD

Food Not Bombs. 4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Boo at the Zoo. 12-4 p.m. Sequoia Park Zoo, 3414 W St., Eureka. Costumes, Candy Trail, Spooky Science Lab and T.V. star Mike Craghead showcasing a live pumpkin carving demo. Also, Animal Pumpkin Stomp & Chomp. Regular zoo admission. sequoiaparkzoo.net.

Far Out Farmgirl's Pumpkin Patch. 11 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Far

Out Farmgirl's Farm, 31 Coffee Creek Road, Ferndale. See Oct. 26 listing.

Scream-A-Torium Sunday Spooktacular. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. A family-friendly fall festival. Youth performances, pumpkin patch, food truck, beer garden and three haunted mazes. The nighttime event allows younger guests a scaled-back experience without live scarers. \$10 adults. \$5 children. screamatoriumhaunt@gmail.com. screamatoriumhaunt.com/. (707) 466-7414.

OUTDOORS

Birding Trip to the McKinleyville Portion of the Mad River Floodplain. 9 a.m.-noon. Mad River Floodplains, south end of Fischer, 40.925291, -124.120201, McKinleyville. Join trip leader Ken Burton to walk lower Fischer Avenue before venturing out into the fields bordering the riparian strip. Then explore the new restoration area and see what's on the pond. Free. rras.org.

Shelter Cove Workday at Black Sands Beach. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Black Sands Beach Trailhead, King Range National Conservation Area, Shelter Cove. Help plant native plants and remove invasive ones. Some stipends available for ages 12-17. Meet at the west end of the parking area. Tools and gloves provided. RSVP or register a youth by email. Free. justin@lostcoast.org. lostcoast.org/event/shelter-cove-workday-black-sands-beach-3/.

SPORTS

Drop-in Sundays Pickleball and Badminton. 12-2 p.m. West Gym, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Every Sunday fall semester. Rackets and balls provided, but you can bring your own. \$2, free for CPH students. pww2@humboldt.edu. recsports.humboldt.edu/drop-in-recreation. (707) 826-6011.

ETC

Mel Berti Celebration of Life. 1 p.m. Fortuna River Lodge, 1800 Riverwalk Drive.

30 Monday

ART

My Black Story Exhibit. 6-9 p.m. 4th Street Mercantile, 215 Fourth St., Eureka. See Oct. 26 listing.

FOOD

Miranda Farmers Market. 2-6 p.m. Miranda Market, 6685 Avenue of the Giants. Fresh fruits and vegetables, plant starts, flowers and more. No pets are allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/miranda.html. (707) 441-9999.

ETC

Homesharing Info Session. 9:30-10 a.m. and 1-1:30 p.m. This informational Zoom session will go over the steps and safeguards of Area 1 Agency on Aging's matching process and the different types of homeshare partnerships. Email for the link. Free. homeshare@alaa.org. alaa.org/home-sharing. (707) 442-3763.

Merriment Monday: Shuffleboard Tournament. 6-9 p.m. Redwood Curtain Brewery & Tasting Room, 550 South G St., #4, Arcata. Casual shuffleboard tournament with prizes for the winners. Free. redwoodcurtainbrewing.com. (707) 826-7222.

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 27 listing.

31 Tuesday

MOVIES

Grown Up Movie Night at HBSC. 6-8 p.m. Humboldt Bay Social Club, 900 New Navy Base Road, Samoa. Drinks and

snacks available while you watch classics in the Lobby Bar. Movie titles are listed online. Free. humboldt.baysocialclub.com/our-events. (707) 502-8544.

Hocus Pocus (1993) - Happy Halloween. 6-9 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 5 p.m. Movie at 6 p.m. Rated PG. All ages. A teenage boy and his little sister move to Salem, where they battle a trio of diabolical witches that were executed in the 17th century. \$8, \$12 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/326659036608498. (707) 613-3030.

Spooky Movie Series: Friday the 13th. 7 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theatre, 447 Main St. Box office opens at 6:15 p.m., doors at 6:30 p.m. Movie at 7 p.m. \$10, \$5 students/seniors. info@ferndalerep.org. ferndalerep.org/. (707) 786-5483.

SPOKEN WORD

Word Humboldt Spoken Word Open Mic. 6-9 p.m. Northtown Coffee, 1603 G St., Arcata. Sign up list goes up at 6 p.m., and the open mic kicks off at 6:30 p.m. Two rounds of open mic poetry and a featured poet. Everyone is welcome, especially new performers. LGBTQ+ friendly. Free. instagram.com/wordhum.

EVENTS

Tacos and Art Night at the Sanctuary. 6-9 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. Potluck tacos from 6 to 7:30 p.m. We'll make fresh tortillas, you bring a taco topping (or donation), share a meal and everybody cleans up. Art from 7 p.m. Bring a project or join one, supplies provided. \$5-\$10. together@sanctuaryarcata.org. sanctuaryarcata.org.

FOR KIDS

Trunk or Treat. 5:30-8 p.m. New Heart Community Church, PO Box 2608, McKinleyville. Join New Heart Community Church for candy and fun. Kids are encouraged to come in costume. An event for kids 12 and under. Free. Office@newheart.com. newheart.com. (707) 839-8015.

FOOD

Fortuna Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. 10th and Main streets, 10th and Main streets, Fortuna. Fresh produce, meat, fish, dairy, bread, flowers and more. Music and hot food vendors. No pets, but trained, ADA-certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/fortuna.html. (707) 441-9999.

Old Town Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Old Town Gazebo, Second and F streets, Eureka. Fresh fruits and vegetables, baked goods, jam, crafts and more. Live music. Trained, ADA-certified service animals only. CalFresh EBT customers are able to receive a market match at every farmers market. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/oldtown.html. (707) 441-9999.

Shelter Cove Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Mario's Marina Bar, 533 Machi Road, Shelter Cove. Fresh fruits and vegetables, meat, flowers and more. No pets are allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/sheltercove.html. (707) 441-9999.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Haunted Halloween - Haunted Prom. 9 p.m.-3 a.m. The Historic Eagle House, 139 Second St., Eureka. Fraktal and Burningleaf Productions present the sixth annual event featuring N808 (Dirty Bird), Marian Flow (Brazil), Chocolate Sushi, All Good Funk Alliance, Marjo Lak, Esch, ZERA, Skinny Pepperwood, Austin Lee and visuals by Marmalade Sky. Four bars, two stages, chill zone, VIP. Ages 21 and over. \$35-\$65. facebook.com/events/607675848203406?active_tab=about. (707) 444-3344.

Downtown Halloween. 3-7 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Live music, costume contest, beer and wine booth, food and art vendors, and treats for the kiddos.

Garberville Halloween Festival. 3-5 p.m. Garberville Town Square, Church Street. Costume contest, music by Irie Rockerz, flash mob, trunk or treat.

Griffin Loch's Scream-A-Torium. 5:30-10 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. See Oct. 26 listing.

The Haunted Kinetic Lab of Horrors. 7 p.m.-midnight. Kinetic Sculpture Lab, Eighth and N streets, Arcata. See Oct. 26 listing.

Haunted Rail Tour. 6 p.m.-midnight. Timber Heritage Association, 930 Vance Avenue, Samoa. See Oct. 27 listing.

Organic Matters Pumpkin Patch. Every 31 days. Organic Matters Ranch Pumpkin Patch, 6821 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. Pumpkins and other gourds, hay maze, hay pyramid, 11 acres of squash and sunflowers. Fern Mountain Eats and Sips Cafe on weekends. Free admission. info@organicmattersranch.com. organicmattersranch.com. (707) 798-3276.

Trick or Treat on the Plaza. 3-6 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. The plaza will be blocked off for safe and fun trick-or-treating. Enjoy cider, music and other fun things. gloria@arcatachamber.com. arcatachamber.com.

Fortuna Trunk or Treat. 3-5 p.m. Fortuna Main Street and Downtown, Main Street. Join Fortuna Downtown Business Association for candy on the spookiest main street around. Participants decorate their vehicles and hand out candy to kids. Trunk or Treat is encouraged to be an event for kids 12 and under.

MEETINGS

Humboldt Cribbage Club Tournament. 6:15-9 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Weekly six-game cribbage tournament for experienced players. Inexperienced players may watch, learn and play on the side. Moose dinner available at 5:30 p.m. \$3-\$8. 31for14@gmail.com. (707) 599-4605.

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Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 26 listing.

1 Wednesday

ART

Art Club. First Wednesday of every month, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Redwood Retro, 211 G St., Eureka. Come for the conversation and bring your own project or get materials and instruction for an additional fee. Sign up and this month's project online. \$22. stainedghost.com.

Figure Drawing. 6-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Practice your artistic skills. \$5. blondiesfoodanddrink.com.

MOVIES

Sci-Fi Night: Jurassic Park (1993). 6-9 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 6 p.m. Raffle at 7 p.m. Main feature at 7:05 p.m. PG13. All ages. A power failure causes the park's cloned dinosaurs to run loose. \$5, \$9 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/2260493157480537. (707) 613-3030.

FOR KIDS

Family Movie Night. 5-7 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Bring the family and enjoy classics in the lounge area. Food and drinks available at Main & Mill. Movies are G-PG and the titles are listed online under events. Free. scotia-lodge.com/hosted-events. (707) 298-7139.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See Oct. 27 listing.

ETC

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 27 listing.

2 Thursday

ART

Figure Drawing at Synopsis. 7-9 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See Oct. 26 listing.

Tintah: Amongst The Trails. Goudi'ni Native American Arts Gallery, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. See Oct. 26 listing.

HOLIDAY EVENTS

Day of the Dead Festival of Altars/Día de Muertos Festival de Altares. 4-8 p.m. Old Town Gazebo, Second and F streets, Eureka. Honor your ancestors in the ancient Latinx celebration. Food, music, danza, ritual, ofrendas and free face painting.

OUTDOORS

Nature Quest. 2-5 p.m. Eureka Municipal Auditorium, 1120 F St. See Oct. 26 listing.

ETC

Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See Oct. 26 listing.

Heads Up ...

Humboldt Arts Council Member Exhibition call for entries now available. Artists are invited to submit one piece of artwork for consideration. Open to current HAC members or join on entry day. Fee is \$15 per entry. Entries accepted at the Morris Graves Museum of Art on Friday, Nov. 10 from noon to 5 p.m. More info at humboldtarts.org.

College of the Redwoods' multilingual literary journal Personas is accepting submissions of original poetry, fiction, creative nonfiction, essays and art reflecting the experience of multilingualism. Writers need not be multilingual to contribute; writings may be multilingual, bilingual or monolingual. Submission period closes at midnight on March 16, 2024. For more information, email jonathan-maiullo@redwoods.edu.

Companion Animal Foundation is launching a Kindness Calendar for 2024. They are asking any student in Humboldt County to produce an 8.5-by-11-inch picture, poem/haiku or a very short story telling what it means to be kind to all animals. Submissions are for grades one through eight. Submissions accepted through Oct. 30. For instructions/more info, visit Cafanimals.org, email cafdirector@gmail.com or call (707) 296-4629.

The Humboldt Branch of the American Association of University Women is accepting applications for re-entry scholarships. Deadline is Nov. 1. Details and the complete application packet are available at humboldt-ca.aauw.net/education/scholarship.

Area 1 Agency on Aging seeks volunteers to help with rides to medical appointments, educate and assist people to make informed decisions about Medicare options, advocate for residents in nursing homes, assist with matching home providers and home seekers, or teach technology training to older adults. Apply at alaa.org/volunteer-interest-form/.

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The Evil that White Men Do

By John J. Bennett

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KILLERS OF THE FLOWER MOON. In a recent profile for the *Los Angeles Times*, Marissa R. Moss refers to “the radical empathy” of Jason Isbell, the frequently mis-described artist whose albums have spent more time on the turntable in this house than any other’s in the last decade. Not coincidentally, Isbell has a small but critical supporting part in *Killers of the Flower Moon*. This confluence made me realize empathy, more than any other attribute, is really what has come to define the work of Martin Scorsese, who, when he shrugs off this mortal coil, will have left behind inarguably the most significant contribution to American cinema in its history.

Isbell and Scorsese share an innate, probably subconscious ability to share the pain and glory of “heroes” and “villains,” a trait that inevitably places the focus on their shared humanity. In Scorsese’s case, it has made the work divisive — a letter-writer once excoriated my own review of *The Wolf of Wall Street* (2013) for celebrating toxic masculinity — because the audience at large does not (or cannot) take the time and care to differentiate between exploration and endorsement. Qualification becomes quantification and understanding the world becomes an exercise in binary bigotry: hate or love and never the twain shall meet. Maybe more to the point, the wrongheaded notion that opposing viewpoints cannot be broached (that there actually are heroes and villains) only serves to calcify already problematic resistance to discourse and greater understanding.

As a result, Scorsese movies have been celebrated against their intentions: His exploration of violence as an expression of the animalistic aspects of humanity becomes titillating; characters who exist outside or between the lines governing “polite” society become torch bearers, etc. These reactions are not incorrect or unfair, of course; they are just myopic. Because what he has spent more than half a century trying to parse is the totality of lived experience, of which crime and violence and betrayal and lost faith are all

a part. Despite its occasional coarseness, his body of work is perhaps the most deeply felt, most vulnerably inquisitive in its medium.

One of the most challenging aspects of Scorsese’s exploration lies in its insistence on the audience to examine the nature of evil, or of evil acts as born of simple human deviancy. And that challenge has never been presented with greater delicacy and nuance than in *Killers of the Flower Moon*. The acts depicted therein are certainly heinous, easily classifiable. But the motivations behind them, while superficially simple, may in fact be ephemeral and unknowable.

Which is not to suggest the crimes against the Osage people, as partially described in *Killers of the Flower Moon*, are defensible; they are not. But the motivations of the people who committed those crimes cannot be dismissed as those of some storybook notion of Evil as a force existing outside humanity. And therein lies the true complexity of this astounding, gorgeous movie and of the bulk of Scorsese’s work. Evil is people, or is perpetrated by them, but it is an aggregate, a result rather than a simple motivation.

As Ernest Burkhart (Leonardo DiCaprio) returns home from the First World War, he finds small-town Oklahoma reshaped by the discovery of oil beneath the ground of the Osage Reservation. As silent-movie title cards inform us, the Osage have become the richest people, per capita, on Earth. And they are being murdered at an astounding rate. Ernest, with close counsel from his cattle-rancher uncle William “King” Hale (Robert De Niro) — whose landholding is notably devoid of oil — sets himself up as a cab driver and begins courting the alluring but circumspect Mollie Kyle (Lily Gladstone), an Osage woman with notable family wealth. Ernest is a little dim, susceptible to influence and, ultimately, not self-aware enough to



Hon, let his ass drown in the freezing Atlantic like Rose did because he’s just going to dump you when you turn 25.
Killers of the Flower Moon

keep himself from doing terrible things. As Mollie’s family members and dozens of other members of their community die under questionable circumstances, the Osage attempt to mount a defense at the federal level, which eventually leads to an inquest by the newly formed Bureau of Investigation.

Based on the book by David Grann and adapted by Scorsese and Eric Roth, *Killers of the Flower Moon* presents a detective story in an unprecedented way, proceeding from known crimes and suspected criminals and introducing the detectives in the final act. The movie puts us at uncomfortable proximity to the people being decimated, as we look over the shoulders of Ernest and even-more duplicitous white opportunists like his older brother Byron (Scott Shephard), the simpering Bill Smith (Isbell) and King himself. From so close-up, the events of the movie feel almost kaleidoscopic and unavoidable; we, like Ernest, may not want to understand the sickening truth.

It is no small thing to say this may well be Martin Scorsese’s most accomplished, most devastating work. Absent so many of the slick moves we have used to define him, it is a troubling, magisterial masterwork that demands close reading and further study. R. 207M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK, MINOR. ●

John J. Bennett (he/him) is a movie nerd who loves a good car chase.

NOW PLAYING

AFTER DEATH. Christian documentary about near-death experiences. PG13. 103M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

BETLEJUICE (1988). Hands to yourselves, folks. R. 92M. MINOR.

THE CREATOR. A soldier (John David Washington) in the war between humans and AI robots captures a secret weapon in the form of a child robot. PG13. 133M. BROADWAY.

THE EXORCIST: BELIEVER. Ellen Burstyn reprises her maternal role from the original horror masterpiece, this time to aid possessed twins. R. 121M. BROADWAY.

FIVE NIGHTS AT FREDDY’S. Haunted Chuck E. Cheese vibes with Josh Hutcherson and Mary Stuart Masterson. PG13. 110M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

FREELANCE. John Cena takes a security job protecting a journalist (Alison Brie) who stumbles into a coup while interviewing a dictator (Juan Pablo Rabe). R. 109M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

HOCUS POCUS (1993). Halloween throwback with Bette Midler, Sarah Jessica Parker and Kathy Najimy. PG. 96M. MILL CREEK.

THE NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS (1993). Jack Skellington does some disastrous cultural appropriation. PG. 76M. BROADWAY 3D, MILL CREEK 3D.

PAW PATROL: THE MIGHTY MOVIE. An asteroid grants dogs superpowers in this animated adventure voiced by Dan Duran and Kristen Bell. PG. 92M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

SAW X. The puppet-loving serial killer (Tobin Bell) makes the case for socialized medicine via gross basement torture when he takes revenge on medical fraudsters. R. 118. BROADWAY.

TAYLOR SWIFT: THE ERAS TOUR. Swifties, your time is now. NR. 165M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

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Rocket Science

By Barry Evans

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If you've ever watched the launch of a rocket, perhaps a Space Shuttle or one of SpaceX's Falcon 9s, you'll have heard the phrase "Max Q." About a minute after launch — one minute 22 seconds, in the case of Falcon 9 — the announcer will say something like, "The spacecraft is now experiencing its greatest stress at Max Q." and, soon after, "Engineers are now breathing a sigh of relief as the craft has passed Max Q."

Q stands for "dynamic pressure," first explored in the 1730s by Daniel Bernoulli of the high-achieving Swiss Bernoulli family. In a car, it's the drag. For a rocket, it's the air pressure resisting the forward motion of the craft. Bernoulli figured out that the drag, or resistance against motion, was proportional to the square of the velocity, v , so a car traveling at 60 mph experiences four times the drag experienced at 30 mph. It's also proportional to the density, ρ of air (or water, or any fluid) through which the car, airplane or rocket is moving. Bear with me for just this one equation: $Q = \frac{1}{2} \rho v^2$

Before launch, the air pressure on a rocket is at its maximum (decreasing as you ascend), while its velocity is zero, so Q, the dynamic pressure on its hull, is also zero. It's also zero in orbit above the atmosphere, where $\rho = 0$. It's the period between launch and orbit that's the tricky part if you happen to be a rocket designer.

After launch, the velocity increases while the air density decreases. *Before* reaching Max Q, the dynamic pressure on the hull increases because the rise in the velocity-squared component is greater than that due to the decreasing air density. After passing Max Q, the opposite is true: As the craft gains altitude, the dynamic pressure due to decreasing air density is more significant than that due to the increasing velocity. So Max Q is the crossover point: Before, air density rules; after, velocity rules. For the Falcon 9, Max Q is reached at about 8 miles altitude, when it's traveling at a bit over 1 mile per second,

Rocket engineers could, of course,



Space Shuttle Columbia, Nov. 19, 1997, launch from complex 39B, Kennedy Space Center, aka Cape Canaveral. Four launches later, Feb. 1, 2003, Columbia disintegrated during reentry, killing all seven crewmembers.

Photo by Barry Evans

simply build their spacecraft strong enough to handle the stresses on the hull at Max Q, but that would run counter to the No. 1 rule, "Keep everything as light as possible." (The heavier the rocket, the more fuel is required, which makes it heavier, so more fuel, etc. For the Space Shuttle, fuel accounted for 95 percent of the launch weight.) Most of the hull of a Falcon 9 consists of an alloy of aluminum and lithium rather than, say, titanium — a stronger but heavier metal. To compensate for this lesser strength, the engines are throttled back as the rocket approaches Max Q, reducing the velocity by about 30 percent, essentially delaying Max Q until the craft is higher and the air density considerably less than it otherwise would have been. After Max Q, the engines revert to their maximum thrust.

While liquid fuel engines, such as those on the Falcon 9 and the three main engines of the Space Shuttle, can be readily throttled up and down, the twin solid-fuel booster rockets on the sides of the Space Shuttle's fuel tank had no such ability. Like Roman candles, once ignited, they burned until all their fuel was exhausted. To keep stresses on the hull to a safe level, the grains of the propellant were designed to burn with variable thrust at different times. About 50 seconds after launch, just before the main engines were throttled back, the thrust of the solid rocket boosters automatically decreased by about a third.

And yes, that is rocket science. ●

Barry Evans (barryevans9@yahoo.com) is happy that the private sector is leading the new space enterprise, rather than keeping it under government control.

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ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

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6. ____ alai

9. Natl. Merit Scholarship hurdles

14. Largest city in Nebraska

15. Catering vessel

16. Hasbro game requiring increasingly quick reflexes

17. All thumbs

19. Matchmaking site available in Hebrew

20. James of "The Godfather"

21. Stare at rudely

22. End-of-October greeting

28. "Finished!"

29. Assistant

30. Back-to-back NBA MVP winner Nikola ____

32. Midler of "Beaches"

34. Part of wpm: Abbr.

37. Electric ____

38. Construction site sight

40. Cleverness

41. It might address a gray area

42. Remove from a board

43. Mystic's board

45. ____ queen

46. Barrel of laughs

47. Abraham Lincoln's first Vice President

54. Notion

55. "I'm such a butterfingers!"

56. Nabisco name since 1967

58. Abbott and Costello, e.g. (or what the words in 17-, 22-, 38- and 47-Across each start with)

63. Longtime New York archbishop Timothy

64. Mike's partner in candy

65. Rest spot for a camel

66. Expiration date words

67. Pompous person

68. Foot massage targets

DOWN

1. Play- ____

2. Actress who, with Ethan, is a parent to actress Maya Hawke

3. Male sheep

4. Bubble bath sigh

5. ____ Image Awards

6. Friedlander of "30 Rock"

7. Madison Square Garden, for one

8. Neither Dem. nor Rep.

9. Classic sandwich initials

10. "Us, too!"

11. Take ____ from (copy)

12. Mr., Mrs. or Mx.

13. Vermeer and Rembrandt contemporary

18. Thumbs-down vote

22. Poppycock

23. Spot for an inconspicuous tattoo, perhaps

24. Louvre Pyramid designer I.M.

25. Shop tool

26. "Kiss Me Deadly" singer Ford

27. Emerson's " ____ Beauty"

28. Worked a club, say

31. "SNL" alum Oteri

32. Actress Sonia of "Moon Over Parador"

33. Sheeran and Sullivan

34. Often-dystopian conflict of the future, for short

35. City where Grey Poupon originated

36. "Now!"

39. Many a Syrian or Yemeni

44. Clickable address

45. Forensic facility

47. Holi celebrator

48. "Hasta la próxima"

49. Woman's name that becomes another woman's name when spelled backward

50. They can be deceiving

51. They may be mobile

52. Gibbon, e.g.

53. Early PC platform

57. Whichever

58. Org. in many Tom Clancy books

59. Ming whose number was retired by the Rockets

60. Ethernet alternative

61. One-eighty

62. 58-Down forerunner

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS TO YES

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ELMER HAMES CASE NO. PR2300289

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of ELMER HAMES
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner PATRICK & KATHERINE SHANNON; PATRICK & SUMMER DOUGLAS
The petition for probate requests that STACEY MCCONNELL be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on December 28, 2023 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 4

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may

file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Attorney for Petitioner:
John S. Lopez
212 G Street, Suite 201
Eureka, CA 95501
(707) 444-9281
Filed: September 29, 2023
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

10/12, 10/19, 10/26/2023 (23-354)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00519

The following person is doing Business as
P.M.C. PAVEMENT MAINTENANCE COMPANY

Humboldt
851 Mountain View Dr
Garberville, CA 95542

Samuel R Bruebaker
851 Mountain View Dr
Garberville, CA 95542

The business is conducted by an Individual.

The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on August 31, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Samuel R Bruebaker, Owner
This September 13, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2/2023 (23-359)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00535

The following person is doing Business as
HUMBABY

Humboldt
1999 Munson Court
Eureka, CA 95501

Sarah LA Simon
1999 Munson Court
Eureka, CA 95501

Samantha N Karges
4584 Campton Road
Eureka, CA 95503



NOTICE OF ROHNER COMMUNITY RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT VACANCY

Notice is hereby given that the City Council is accepting applications for membership on the Rohner Community Recreation and Park District (RCRPD) Board. Appointments to be made by the City Council as soon as possible. The District was originally established as a "dependent" special district. Authority for appointing members to the RCRPD Board of Directors is shared jointly by the Fortuna City Council (three members) and the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors (two members).

The Rohner Community Recreation and Park District (RCRPD) was originally formed on July 16, 1968 for the purpose of overseeing the planning, acquisition and construction of a community swimming pool to benefit both the incorporated and unincorporated areas surrounding Fortuna. The RCRPD encompasses an area of approximately 30 square miles (19,190 acres) and includes the entire City of Fortuna and the surrounding unincorporated areas along Tompkins Hill Road, Eel River Drive, Sandy Prairie Road, and Metropolitan Road. The City of Fortuna comprises less than 20 percent of the territory in the District boundaries.

The vacancies currently available are:
Rohner Community Recreation and Park District: 1 Seat
Consistent with state Recreation and Park District Law, RCRPD is empowered to:

(1) Organize, promote, conduct, and advertise programs of community recreation, including but not limited to parks and open space, parking, transportation, and other related services that improve the community's quality of life;

(2) Establish systems of recreation and recreation facilities, including but not limited to parks and open space; and

(3) Acquire, construct, improve, maintain, and operate recreation facilities, including but not limited to parks and open space both inside and beyond the district's boundaries.

The principal powers and duties of the RCRPD Board of Directors include the administrative, fiscal and operational responsibilities to develop park facilities and to implement recreation programs in partnership with the City of Fortuna.

Application forms can be obtained at City Hall or on the City website www.friendlyfortuna.com. Applications for current RCRPD vacancies will be accepted until vacancies have been filled.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ashley Chambers, Deputy City Clerk, 707-725-7600

SUBMITTED BY:
Ashley Chambers, Deputy City Clerk
achambers@ci.fortuna.ca.us

10-19-2023

The business is conducted by Copartners.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on September 9, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Sara Simon, Co-Partner
This September 13, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sg, Humboldt County Clerk

10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2/2023 (23-358)

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00545
The following person is doing Business as
OMORFIA PHOTOGRAPHY

Humboldt
463 A Street
Ferndale, CA 95536

PO Box 1456
Ferndale, CA 95536

Javier Lopez-Sanchez
463 A Street
Ferndale, CA 95536

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on September 11, 2023

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Javier Lopez-Sanchez, Owner
This September 18, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2/2023 (23-356)

LEGALS?
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coastjournal.com
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00547
The following person is doing Business as
HUMBOLDT BAYKEEPER

Humboldt
145 G Street, Ste A
Arcata, CA 95521

600 F Street, Ste 3 #810
Arcata, CA 95521

Humboldt Waterkeeper
CA 4581468
145 G Street, Ste A
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on July 27, 2023

I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Jennifer Kalt, Board Secretary/
Executive Director
This September 19, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26/2023 (23-346)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00558
The following person is doing Business as
TIM'S MOBILE AUTO SERVICE

Humboldt
311 Blue Lake Blvd
Blue Lake, CA 95525

PO Box 555
Blue Lake CA 95525

Timothy D Diegan
311 Blue Lake Blvd
Blue Lake, CA 95525

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on September 26, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Tim Diegan, Owner
This September 26, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sg, Humboldt County Clerk

10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26/2023 (23-345)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00562
The following person is doing Business as
WILDFLOWER CLEANING CO

Humboldt
3598 Spear Ave
Arcata, CA 95521

PO Box 485
Arcata, CA 95518

Hannah I Meek
3598 Spear Ave
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on September 28, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and

Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Hannah I Meek, Owner
This September 28, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9/2023 (23-361)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00569
The following person is doing Business as
DEEPSEED COMMUNITY FARM

Humboldt
2507 Wyatt Lane
Arcata, CA 95521

Edward H Tanner
101 Hill Street
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on March 5, 2007
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Edward Tanner, Owner
This September 29, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26/2023 (23-349)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00571
The following person is doing Business as
THE CROOKED SPOON

Humboldt
2530 Alliance Rd
Arcata, CA 95521

Veronica A Brant
2530 Alliance Rd
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Veronica Brant, Owner
This September 29, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sg, Humboldt County Clerk

10/5, 10/12, 10/19, 10/26/2023 (23-353)

LEGALS?
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
COMPLAINE WITH CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE SECTION 2923.3 COMPLETED.

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 10, 2015. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by the duly appointed trustee, as shown below, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein.

TRUSTOR: Dana Hudson, a married man, dealing with his separate property
DULY APPOINTED TRUSTEE: Harland Law Firm LLP
DEED OF TRUST RECORDED: December 11, 2015
INSTRUMENT NUMBER: 2015-023136-5 of the Official Records of the Recorder of Humboldt County, California
DATE OF SALE: November 30, 2023 at 11:00 A.M.
PLACE OF SALE: Front entrance to the County Courthouse, 825 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501

THE COMMON DESIGNATION OF THE PROPERTY IS PURPORTED TO BE: 22310 State Highway 299, Willow Creek, CA. Directions to the property may be obtained by pursuant to a written request submitted to Harland Law Firm LLP, 212 G Street, Suite 201, Eureka, CA 95501, within 10 days from the first publication of this notice.

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof for the Legal Description.
Amount of unpaid balance and other charges as of October 9, 2023: \$198,202.33.
Beneficiary may elect to open bidding at a lesser amount.

The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is stated above, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice.

NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should

be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 707-444-9281, Attn: John S. Lopez, or visit this internet website www.harlandlaw.com using the file number assigned to this case NOD2023-008507. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the internet website. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale.

NOTICE TO TENANT: You may have a right to purchase this property after the trustee auction pursuant to Section 2924m of the California Civil Code. If you are an "eligible tenant buyer," you can purchase the property if you match the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. If you are an "eligible bidder," you may be able to purchase the property if you exceed the last and highest bid placed at the trustee auction. There are three steps to exercising this right of purchase. First, 48 hours after the date of the trustee sale, you can call 707-444-9281, Attn: John S. Lopez, or visit this internet website www.harlandlaw.com using the file number assigned to this case NOD2023-008507 to find the date on which the trustee's sale was held, the amount of the last and highest bid, and the address of the trustee. Second, you must send a written notice of intent to place a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 15 days after the trustee's sale. Third, you must submit a bid so that the trustee receives it no more than 45 days after the trustee's sale. If you think you may qualify as an "eligible tenant buyer" or "eligible bidder," you should consider contacting an attorney or appropriate real estate professional immediately for advice regarding this potential right to purchase.

DATED: This 9th day of October, 2023 in the city of Eureka, and the county of Humboldt, California.
Harland Law Firm LLP

John S. Lopez, Attorney,
Trustee for Beneficiary
Gary Citron, Successor Trustee of the June Kropp Giffin Trust FBO Zachary Ambrose Giffin dated July 24, 1998

EXHIBIT "A"
LEGAL DESCRIPTION

That real property situate in the County of Humboldt, State of California, described as follows:

PARCEL ONE:

The Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 25, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 25, with both references to Section 25 being in Township 6 North, Range 3 East, Humboldt Meridian. EXCEPTING therefrom one-half of the oil, gas, hydrocarbon substances and minerals in and under said land as reserved by Redwood Creek Cattle Company, a California corporation, in Deed recorded February 7, 1956 in book 378 of Official Records, Page 21, Humboldt County Records.

PARCEL TWO:

A non-exclusive easement for commercial and domestic uses over the existing roads which presently serve the above described parcel of land.
APN: 316-175-011

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
HAYLEY CATHERINE BELL
CASE NO. CV2301588
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALI-
FORNIA, COUNTY OF
HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501**

PETITION OF:
HAYLEY CATHERINE BELL
for a decree changing names as
follows:

Present name
HAYLEY CATHERINE BELL
to Proposed Name
CAMDEN JEAN BELL
THE COURT ORDERS that all
persons interested in this matter
appear before this court at the
hearing indicated below to show
cause, if any, why the petition for
change of name should not be
granted. Any person objecting to
the name changes described above
must file a written objection that
includes the reasons for the objec-
tion at least two court days before
the matter is scheduled to be heard

and must appear at the hearing to
show cause why the petition should
not be granted. If no written objec-
tion is timely filed, the court may
grant the petition without a
hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: December 8, 2023
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4 Room 4
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH
STREET EUREKA, CA 95501

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advance of the hearing for informa-
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court's website. To find your court's
website, go to [www.courts.ca.gov/
find-my-court.htm](http://www.courts.ca.gov/find-my-court.htm).

Date: October 9, 2023
Filed: October 9, 2023
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9/2023 (23-362)

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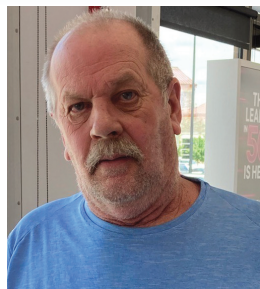
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OBITUARIES



Larry Kenneth Radford

April 5, 1953 - October 4, 2023

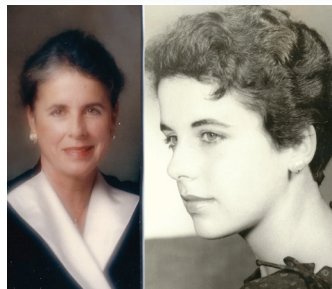
Larry Kenneth Radford was born on April 5, 1953
in Eureka, California. He unexpectedly passed away
on October 4, 2023 from a heart attack in Longmont,
Colorado. He was the second of seven children.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents
Frank & Signe Freeberg, his parents John & Marilyn
Radford, his brother Frank Thomas (Tom) Radford in
1998 and his sister Donna Marie Radford in 2007.

He is survived by Alan (Nanci) of Eureka,
California ; John Robert (Jane) of Golden Valley,
Arizona ; Gary of Represa, California ; and James
Edward (Eddie).

After Larry graduated from Eureka High School
in 1971, he moved to Colorado in 1978 to work at
BMC Lumber Yard for more than 40 years until his
retirement in 2019.

Please contact Alan at (707) 599-4740 or John
Robert at (307) 321-6126 for information regarding a
Celebration of Life at a future date.



Cynthia Gorman Quinsey

Oct. 22, 1938 - Oct. 9, 2023

Cynthia Gorman Quinsey passed away October 9, 2023
surrounded by love. Born October 22, 1938, Cynthia was
a musician, artist, daughter, sister, wife, mother, grand
& great-grandmother and good friend. A true creative,
Cynthia viewed the world through an imaginative and
beautiful lense. A deeply caring person, Cynthia shared
her love and wit liberally with her family and friends.
She was truly a generous soul. A prolific artist, Cynthia
created and expressed herself through textiles, weaving,
sculpting, painting, gardening and making hilarious
faces. An athlete, she enjoyed tennis, walking and yoga.
A lifelong violinist, Cynthia loved music from the deepest
places in her heart. She played with the Eureka Symphony
for 20 years and more recently with the All Seasons
Orchestra. Cynthia is survived by her sisters, children,
grand & great-grandchildren as well as many wonderful
friends and neighbors. It has been said that Life is sweet
simply because we only get to live it once. Our mother's
love, sweetness, wit and joy of living will be our gifts
forever. Thank you, Mom. We love you so much. "Here
was peace. She pulled in her horizon like a great fishnet.
Pulled it from around the waist of the world and draped
it over her shoulder. So much of life in its meshes! She
called in her soul to come and see." (SNH)



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GED required and a Bachelor's degree in
recreation administration, or closely related
field is desired. Five (5) years of increasingly
responsible experience in the administration
of recreational programming including at least
three years of management and supervisory
experience. Experience in park facilities,
planning, maintenance and design, as well
as developing, planning, implementing,
and facilitating sports programs is required.
Experience may be substituted for education.
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that would likely provide the required
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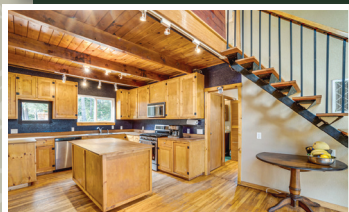
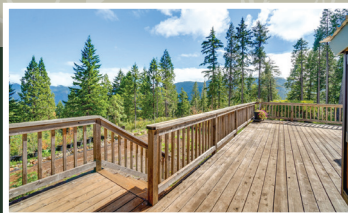


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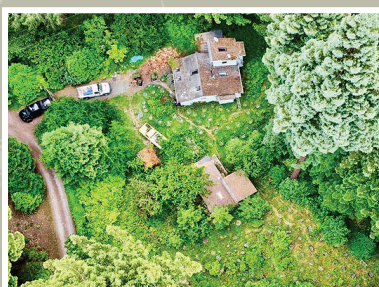
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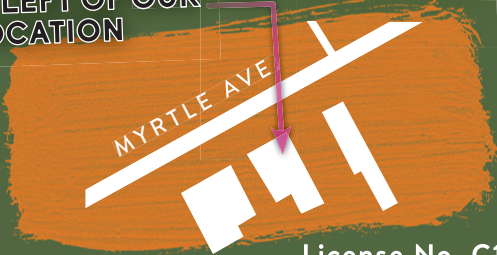
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